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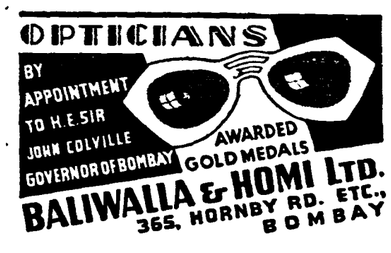
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CHURCHILL'S ULTIMATUM TO LABOUR PARTY

Attlee Carries Special Message To Blackpool Conference

Premier Wants To Put Onus Of Ending Coalition On Labourites

PLEA TO POSTPONE ELECTIONS TILL JAPAN IS BEATEN

BLACKPOOL, May 20, (Reuter): The Deputy Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee is the bearer of a special message to the Labour Party conference here, from the Prime Minister Mr. Winston Churchill—that the country should remain united in the face of perils that may still lie ahead, cables Jon Kimche Reuters' Special Correspondent.

In other words Mr. Churchill's proposal is that the Labour Party should continue to stay in the Coalition Government until the end of the Japanese war and end of the present critical situation in Europe, particularly the Yugoslav and the Polish crises.

IF LABOUR WON'T LISTEN

If Labour does not accept this offer, Mr. Churchill proposes to dissolve Parliament at once and hold a general election before mid-July.

Mr. Clement Attlee and the Minister of Labour Mr. Ernest Bevin are reported to favour the proposal, but the Home Secetary Mr. Herbert Morrison and the entire leadership of the Labour Party are said to be firmly opposed to it, favouring instead, an election when the life of Parliament expires in October.

The Labour Party's final decision will depend on the seriousness of Mr. Attlee's report on the European situation—and this is expected later tonight.

Reuter's Political Correspondent, Fraser Wighton writes, that the effect of Mr. Churchill's proposal is to put on the Labour Party the onus of ending the Coalition Government.

July election—July 5 is "spotted" as the actual date—would delight a considerable section of Mr. Churchill's Tory followers, who have been urging that the Party "cash in" on the Premier's personal popularity at the earliest possible moment.

Mr. Churchill is understood to take an ironic view of the popularity, liable to prove so fleeting as this.

Labour Fights For Sun Itself

The Home Secretary Mr. Herbert Morrison told a Labour Party demonstration here to-day—on the eve of the Party Conference—that nobody yet knows what the date of the general election will be.

"But the election should come at a time when people are best able to give calm, cool and independent decision as to what kind of policy they wish the next Government or next Parliament to pursue", he added, and described this general election as "the most important ever to take place in our country."

When that election came, Labour would not be fighting for a place in the sun, but for the sun itself.

"We shall be fighting for a decisive majority+for Parliamentary power and Governmental power and responsibility at a first election and not a second."

S. S. MEN GET THEIR DESERT

Flung Into Fires By Enraged Czechs!

PRAGUE, May 20 (Reuter): German SS men and Gestapo agents, who commenced an orgy of killing when trapped in the Czechoslovak capital during five days of Partisan rising were seized by enraged Czechs and flung into fires started by Luftwaffe bombing, says Seaghan Maynes Reuter's special correspondent.

SAPRU SIGNS IT

It is learnt that the Rt. Hon. Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru has now signed the joint statement issued by the R. Hon. V. S. Srinivasi Sastri and other Madras leaders on May 11, containing proposals for "making the world organisation a really efficient instrumental for the maintenance of international peace."

Precautions Against Yugoslavs

ROME, May 20 (Reuter): Allied military authorities have ordered the civil population to evacuate the whole coastal strip in the region of Rimini, the Italian east coast town on the edge of the Po plain, according to notices posted throughout Rimini by Signor Guglielmo Marconi, Vice-Mayor of the town. Some 25,000 people are involved.

No reason was given for the evacuation but it is considered significant that this strip is directly opposite Pola, at the southernmost tip of the Istrian Peninsula, the occupation of which by Yugoslav forces is the subject of dispute between Field-Marshal Alexander and Marshal Tito.

Patrols Advance On Burma

ADV., HQ., ALFSEA, May 20 (A. P. I.): Today's SEAC communique says: The Eighty-second (West African) Division patrols have reached a point 50 miles south-east of Taunup on the road to Prome. On the Fourteenth Army front, mopping up operations continue satisfactorily.

Attacking from low level, Allied medium bombers of the Eastern Air Command yesterday hit Japanese defences north of Mokpalin.

STOP PRESS

SITUATION IN DAMASCUS GRAVE

DAMASCUS, May 20 (Reuter): The Syrian Government has taken firm measures for the maintenance of order in the city. The press describes the situation as grave.

The Syrian Chamber of Deputies, which meets again tomorrow, yesterday urgently passed an 18 point law for National Defence.

MUNICIPALITY SUSPENDED

KARACHI, May 20 (A.P.I.): The Tando Allahayar Municipality has been suspended for one year on a charge of maladministration.

SIND RICE FOR MALABAR

KARACHI, May 20 (A.P.I.): The Government of India is understood to have asked the Government of Sind to despatch 20,000 tons of rice to Malabar, transport for which has been arranged.

FIXING OF ELECTION DATE

LONDON, May 20 (U.P.A.): The election date and the timing of the withdrawal of Labour Ministers from the coalition government are expected to dominate the annual conference of the Labour Party which will be opened at Blackpool tomorrow and will continue until next Friday.

Another major issue will be the continuation of conscription in Britain.

Labour Turns Down Churchill's Proposal

General Election For Certain Now

BLACKPOOL, May 20 (Reuter): The Labour Executive has turned down the Prime Minister Mr. Churchill's proposal to continue the Coalition Government until after the end of war with Japan. This means says Reuter, that there will be a General Election for certain.

ATTLEE & BEVIN'S SUPPORT

The Deputy Prime Minister Mr. Clement Attlee and the Minister of Labour Mr. Ernest Bevin supported the Prime Minister's proposals which were contained in a personal letter to Mr. Attlee. All other Labour Ministers and members of the National Executive, headed by the Home Secretary, Mr. Herbert Morrison, opposed it.

TODAY'S SECRET SESSION

Tomorrow afternoon the Labour Conference will go into secret session to hear a report on discussions with the Prime Minister. It is certain that the Conference will back the decision of its Executive not to continue the Coalition as Mr. Churchill desires.

India And Labour Conference

LONDON, May 20 (Reuter): The Whitsuntide Conference of the British Labour Party, which opens at Blackpool to-morrow, will receive a report on the deputation from the Party's National Executive Committee which the Secretary of State for India Mr. Leopold Amery, received last week.

The deputation, which was headed by Professor Harold Laski, Vice-Chairman of the Executive Committee and Mr. Arthur Greenwood, Leader of the Party in the House of Commons, presented Mr. Amery with a copy of the resolution on India carried at the previous conference of the Party in London at the end of last year. This strongly worded resolution, submitted by the National Union of Railwaymen, ousted the milder motion submitted to the Conference by the Executive Committee.

It is likely that the leaders of the Labour Party will counsel restraint with reference to the Indian political situation meanwhile, in view of the conversations which are at present proceeding in London between Lord Wavell and the British Government.

An Indian situation may arise at another stage of the Conference, however, in view of the amendment by one divisional Labour Party to the resolution dealing with medical reforms in India. The amendment suggests that self-government would be the necessary and appropriate preliminary to such reforms.

Considerable representation of London's Indian Nationalist political life has gone to Blackpool for the Conference.

Chinese Communists Restive In Malaya

RANGOON, May 16 (A.P.I.): Chinese Communists in Malaya are getting restive, according to travellers who recently arrived here from Singapore, writes N. Rajamani, A. P. I. war correspondent. The Japanese still maintain very rigid control in Singapore proper, but clashes have occurred frequently in the outlying districts between the Chinese community on the one hand and Japanese and pro-Japanese elements on the other.

Nazi Submarine Scuttled

LISBON, May 20 (Reuter): The German submarine U-963, said by its commander to be damaged, sank today off Nazarre beach on Portuguese west coast, and is believed to have been scuttled.

The submarine approached and asked for supplies which the authorities declined to give, saying that they were not belligerents and ordering the submarine to go to Cascais Bay.

The commander replied that damage prevented him going to Cascais, and shortly afterwards the submarine went under.

The commander and a crew of 47 were interned by the Portuguese authorities.

KING LEOPOLD ILL

Suffering From Acute Heart Trouble

LONDON May 20. (Reuter). The Brussels radio today Broadcast a bulletin saying that King Leopold is suffering from acute heart trouble and is unable to move about. The bulletin is signed by the King's personnel physician.

A United States medical officer and a specialist have been called in, the radio added.

FRANCO ON FALANGISTS' STRENGTH

MADRID, May 20 (Reuter): Gen. Franco in a speech at Valladolid today reaffirmed the strength of his Falangist movement, which, he said, had freed Spain from the horrors of its own civil war and horrors of world conflict.

"If anything is sacred to the nation" he said "it is its political unity, since, when that unity disintegrates, nations fall an easy prey to alien ambitions. We must consider the peace we enjoy to be the product of our Spanish unity, against which all manoeuvres and attempts to involve us in conflagration have failed. That this unity should be attacked by our enemies abroad is the best demonstration of its value and efficiency."

JAPANESE TO ABANDON MANCHURIA & KOREA?

LONDON, May 20 (U.P.A.): Sir Robert Clive, former British Ambassador to Japan, said in an article in the "Sunday Dispatch" that Japan may be expected to go to almost any length to avoid occupation of her home islands by Allied troops, even abandoning Manchuria, Korea and Formosa.

IN HEART OF KREMLIN

Where Key To Peace Lies Buried

From S. A. SABAVALA, "Chronicle" Special Representative

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.

There are strong indications that the "Big Three" will meet in Washington in the immediate future.

A pointer to this is the hurried departure of several key pressmen to Washington in spite of the fact that the next plenary sessions of the U.N.C.I.O. are likely to be the most interesting.

President Truman is hard at work gathering all the mass of data which he will require for the Peace Conference and it is thought here that a conference of the Three Leaders will, in itself constitute the laying down of the Peace in Europe.

General de Gaulle will be present although his role during the negotiations will necessary be that of a satellite. There have been some interesting stories as to the locale of this meeting, Honolulu being one of the places suggested but on the whole, it is reasonable that Washington will be the centre of the world within a few weeks.

M. Stalin can now leave Russia with equanimity and Washington is nearer the centre of the remaining war than London. Everyone here hopes and prays for an early meeting. The European situation has steadily deteriorated since V-E Day and each new dawn brings forth a crop of ugly situations that can only be removed by personal contact.

The Charter for the Peace should be ready by the first week of June but where is peace? Its key lies buried in the heart of the Kremlin.

THIRD REICH TO BE DECENTRALISED

Berlin Shall Never Again Be Capital Of Germany, Say Britons

SECOND BR. ARMY HQ., May 20 (Reuter): Berlin is never again to be the administrative and military capital of Germany, it is offically stated here tonight.

The Third Reich is to be decentralised.

BRITISH AREA

"The exact boundaries of the area of British occupation of the Reich are not yet finally delineated", said Col. Thomas. "But in general the British area spread over what was once Prussia, includes part of the Rhine province west of the river, and the Provinces of West Phalia, Hanovar and Schleswig Holstein."

Col. Thomas said that 47 per cent of Nazi Burgomasters in the area occupied by the British fled before the armies and of the remainder one-third were summarily dismissed as protagonists of the administration of the Third Reich. As a general rule the British did not have to dismiss Burgomasters in farming zones, where many held posts since before the advent of Hitler.

German Taxes To Pay

The German taxes will pay for the army of occupation and the military Government. Already the Regional Government of Osnabrueck is operating under British direction with jurisdiction over the local administrative zone. Only a small number of Germans are employed in the Military Government and they work on routine matters such as Burgomaster's reports.

TO CONTROL AND GOVERN

Political and administrative power hitherto concentrated in Berlin will be taken over by great industrial, maritime and agricultural provinces. Col. B. K. Thomas, of the operations and planning department of the British military Government, said that the Reich would not be dismembered in a crude sense of the term.

The object of the occupying forces was to control and not to govern directly. In course of time the appointment of suitable German officials from Burgomasters upwards would reach its obvious climax of a Government of the Germans operating under the direction of occupation authorities.

At present about 1,000 military Government officials are governing 2,000,000 to 5,000,000 Germans. When the British take over the area of occupation finally agreed upon, there will be 2,000 such officials controlling about 18,000,000 Germans.

Co. Thomas added: "Soldiers of the occupying Armies will naturally play their part in the Military Government, and what at first seems a small number of officers is not at variance with the numbers of responsible officials found necessary by the Nazi Government in the same zone."

Free German refugees in Britain and elsewhere will play their part in the military Government one such refugee is already occupying an important post at the 21st Army group headquarters.

NEW LORD MAYOR'S BROADCAST

LONDON, May 20 (Reuter): The Berlin radio today broadcast an announcement by Artur Werner, the newly appointed Lord Mayor of Berlin saying "With the consent of the Red Army Military Command Berlin's Municipal administration has been newly formed. I myself have taken over the functions of Lord Mayor.

I call on Berlin's population to assist actively the new Municipal administration in restoring the normal life of the city and fulfilling the obligations towards the Red Army Military Command."

The radio also announced that Berlin's underground trains are running again.

FIRST PROVINCIAL GOVT. UNDER ALLIED CONTROL SET UP

LONDON, May 20 (U.P.A.): Radio Luxemburg reported today that the first provincial government under Allied control has been set up in the American occupied region of German territory.

The new government is composed of known anti-Nazis and controls an of some area of some 12,000 square kilometers of the Rhine Palatinate. The head of the province is Dr. Hermann Heinrich, who was the Mayor of Mannheim until the Nazis dismissed him in 1933.

Nawab Iftikhar Husain of Mamdot and Mian Mumtaz Daulatana were unanimously re-elected President and General Secretary of the Punjab Muslim League respectively at the annual meeting of the Punjab Provincial Muslim League Council.

We Can Spend Our Week-Ends Abroad!

Pan-American Airways' Post-War Plan: Twice-A-Week Service From New York Via London

From S. A. SABAVALA, "Chronicle" Special Representative

San Francisco, May 19: San Francisco to Calcutta in two days in a super streamlined 365,000 pound giant of the skies and all for 300 dollars. That is the dream envisaged by the Pan-American Airways, a dream that is well on its way to fruition.

The Company will also run a twice-a-week service from New York via London. So the time is not far distant when the people of Bombay will prefer to spend their week ends abrcad rather than go to Poona or Mahabaleshwar.

I could envisage a mammoth network in the skies which would spell the death-knell of nationalism and isolation. I learned with surprise that the Pan-American was the picneer that blazed the trail across Africa that first opened up the Pacific and that helped substantially to drive Rommel out of the Western Desert, but all that is past history. What they aim to do now is to link up the farthest corners of the world and take their place in the new scheme of things.

"PAN-AMERICAN" POST-WAR PLANS

From what I have seen of their post-war plans, they will be far more useful in the job of making world citizens than a dozen international conferences. For instance, they claim that a fleet of 8 planes ferrying across the Atlantic will carry three quarters of the first, second and tourist class passengers who used to travel by boat before that provided they are given the facilities. A businessman will be able to come from New York to San Francisco, conduct his business and return all in one day, that an Indian on a fortnight's holiday will be able to go both to America and to Europe for a few days each. Besides speed, the keynote will be comfort. Separate compartments will be provided. Every passenger will have a berth and considerable freedom of movement while aboard. I know it sounds rather like an H. G. Wells' fantasy, but I have seen some of the Clippers they are using now and although stripped down at the moment, I could envisage the future for us. At home, this revolution in locomotion will have innumerable advantages. No longer will India be a far off and inaccessible country but right in the centre of things. No longer will our problems be isolated and misunderstood. In fact, the 'Pan-American' can do away with the myth that we are a geographical expression. Of course all this depends on how the nations are going to behave about the so-called sovereignty of the skies.

The various Executives who took me round were particularly bitter about the Chicago Air Conference which came to nothing. Here too, the stumbling block to internationalism is mutual mistrust and in this case it is particularly applicable to the Big Powers. Every cubic feet of air is jealously guarded while every nation would like to be in a position to control or spy on the other nations' air. It would be a good thing, therefore, if U.N.C.I.O. included the freedom to travel in its Bill of Human Rights. In fact in some ways, it is even more important than the freedom of the World Press and Radio for the interchange of ideas, so important to us that all can best be done by human contact.

AUSTRALIAN SUGGESTION

Australia has suggested at the Chicago Conference that all the airways of the World be consolidated into one world company with the United Nations sharing equally in its interests and maintenance. This unfortunately is believed to be too idealistic and indeed in the present atmosphere of international brigandage is impossible. It is encouraging, however, that man has begun to think in these terms. U.N.C.I.O. could transfer these thoughts to reality if indeed the United Nations were united and thought in terms of the world instead of national territories.

PETAIN'S DENIAL

PARIS, May 19 (Reuter): Marshal Philippe Petain to-day denied formally that he had been in touch with members of the "Cagoule"—a secret terrorist society of "hooded men" founded in France before the war.

Questioned by the Examining Magistrate M. Betelle who also brought up evidence gathered in Rome at the trial of General Roatta, M. Petain declared, "this is dirt thrown in my face. What is serious is that my country's justice uses it."

He affirmed that he moved from his Staff General who had been in contact with the "hooded men."

FOUR DOCTORS EXAMINE MAHATMA

MAHABLESHWAR, May 20 (A.P.I.): Dr. Jivraj Mehta, Dr. K. Gajjar, Dr. M. D. D. Gilder and Dr. Miss Shushila Nair examined Mahatma Gandhi to-day.

After the examination the doctors said that there was no cause for anxiety.

Yesterday's heavy work as Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Kasturba Gandhi National Memorial trust made Mahatma Gandhi somewhat tired and his evening walk had to be cut down. This indicated that great care had still to be taken over Mahatma Gandhi's health.

Gandhiji had his usual evening walk to-day.

Mr. S. C. Das Gupta, founder President of th eBengal Khadi Pratishta, left for Bombay to-day 'en route' to Calcutta.

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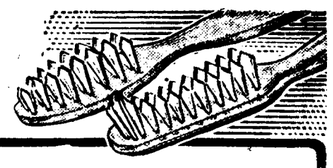

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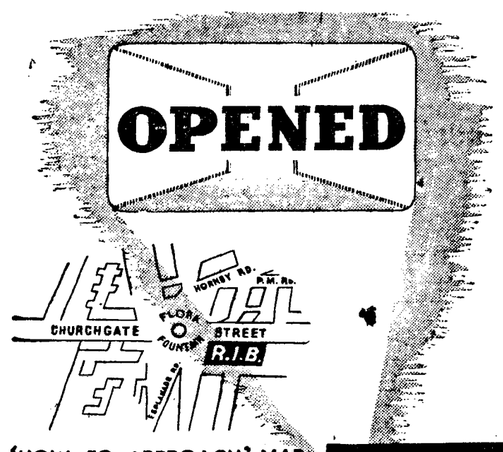

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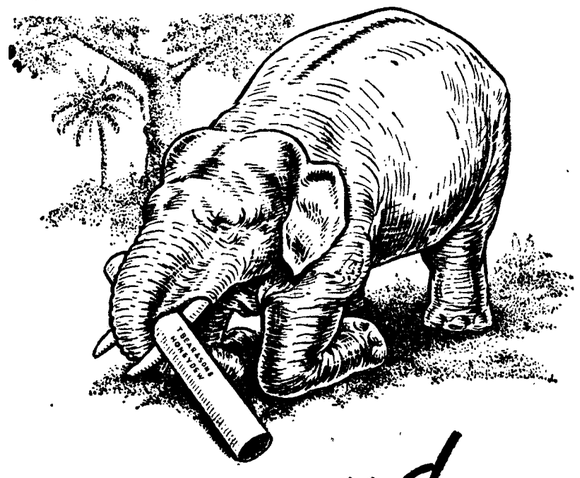

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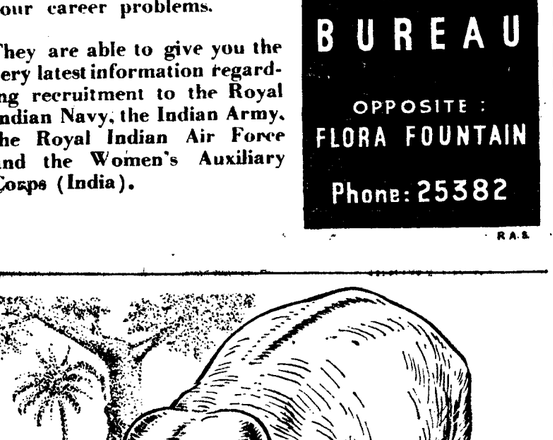

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In Not Too Distant Future

Wavell Hopes To Return With A Decision?

Pressure Of European Events Delays Discussion

LONDON, May 19 (Reuter).—Political quarters in London generally believe—although officially this has neither been confirmed nor denied—that Lord Wavell has brought home specific proposals on the Indian political problem to submit to the British Cabinet, says Reuter's political correspondent.

There has been no disposition to read any special significance into the delay in Lord Wavell's return to India which is attributed to pressure of European events. Lord Wavell's discussions here, beginning when they did, always ran the risk of being interrupted by the end of war in Europe.

It has, therefore, been no surprise to see what was expected to be a three or four weeks' visit lengthened to two months without any official indication of progress or developments from the talks. Nowhere in the political world, including Indian nationalist circles here, has credence been given to rumours suggesting personal disagreement between Lord Wavell, Mr. Amery and other Ministers.

There is a general acceptance of the most obvious explanation—momentary overshadowing of all other official arrangements by the German surrender and the inability of the War Cabinet, including the Prime Minister, to address itself again to India discussions until the pressure eases.

Seventy-year old Churchill has been almost overwhelmed by calls made upon him in the weeks leading up to the German surrender and the period since. Apart from his own duties as Prime Minister and Defence Minister, he deputised for the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, in the latter's absence at San Francisco, and during the period was beset by many delicate international issues. Since the European war came to an end, Mr. Churchill has worked at a pace that would have killed many men in his age.

WAVELL HOPEFUL

By the present indications Lord Wavell will certainly not return to India within the next few days, but the political world believes that he is hoping to return in the not too distant future with a decision on his suggestion.

While there is no official confirmation of the proposal reported by the American magazine "Time", quarters in touch with Indian affairs here point out that there is nothing inherently improbable about them.

The highlights—Revision of the Constitution: Indian control of all domestic affairs except Defence and Finance; Viceregal Control of all matters relating to Finance, Defence and Foreign Affairs: Control of all other matters by the Legislative Assembly which would have power to overthrow the Government and change the Executive Council by a vote of censure—all come into one category. They may be described as distillation of speculation which has persisted in various quarters without any apparent authoritative background.

"We Must Seize Opportunity This Time," Says Rajaji

Unwise To Wait For Better Things To Turn Up

POONA, May 20 (A.P.I.): Mr. C. Rajagopalachari, speaking here, said he did not expect big things to come out of Lord Wavell's visit to London. Circumstances, he said, did not justify such expectations.

Mr. Rajagopalachari who was speaking at the summer school conducted by the students' sub-committee of the Maharashtra Provincial Constructive Committee, felt that it would not do well, however, if the proposals Lord Wavell brought with him were thrown out because of their ordinary nature, imagining that better things would turn up if we wait more.

SEIZE OPPORTUNITY

He added: "In 1942 we had an opportunity which we missed and in 1945 the Britishers confronted by various peace problems thought that some conciliation with India was good. We must seize this opportunity and accept Government for, if we do not do so, we shall suffer the same fate as Burma which was going to be under autocratic rule for some years more.

"Moral deterioration was also going on rapidly in the countryside and that had to be stopped. That could be done only if we had our Government. Politicians who are the trustees of the country's fate and freedom must be more wise, take into account all circumstances and act wisely as well as bravely. Empty and superficial consistency was not going to take us forward."

Mr. Rajagopalachari referred to the cleavage between the Muslim League and other nationalist forces and said that he did not forsee any bridging up of the same in the immediate future. "Let us now make more cleavages and let the nationalist forces make up their differences", he said, "for otherwise we shall not be able to achieve anything."

NO SLOGANS

Turning to the students, he said, they must not be carried away by slogans. Indoctrination was the rule of the day and political and social ideologies were being poured down the throats of young men and women without allowing them to think and reason out for themselves. He warned the students against this state of affairs and advised them not to accept any principle or doctrine out of loyalty some party or otherwise, but to reason out things for themselves before acting on those principles or doctrines.

Concluding Mr. Rajagopalachari observed that while Mahatma Gandhi would not like to take any action so long as Working Committee members were in jail, he would be compelled to speak on behalf of the Congress if the British Government were not willing to release the members and if circumstances demanded that he should do so. He also announced that Gandhiji was keeping good health at present.

Rajagopalachari Expects No Stunning Announcement From Wavell

POONA, May 20 (U.P.I.)—"In the nature of things, Lord Wavell cannot come with any stunningly good announcement", said Mr. C. Rajagopalachari in an interview to the United Press.

Continuing, he said: "Yet it may be something worth considering in the light of present and prospective conditions. The League is going its way. That cleavage in political life promises to continue for a long time. Let us not add to this by further cleavages among the rest, based on unreal slogans, but try to keep together as far as possible. Otherwise we shall be hopelessly weak and no one will achieve anything for the country. De Valera would not have attained his present position and achieved what he did if he had not quietly seized Cosgrave's inheritance without raising any superficial points of consistency."

SWEEPERS CHALLENGE AMBEDKAR

LUCKNOW, May 16 (A.P.I.): In an open letter addressed to Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, Labour Member, Government of India, members of the U. P. Sweepers' Panchayat accuse Dr. Ambedkar of "carelessnesss and unsympathetic attitude towards the sweeper community."

The Panchayat requests Dr. Ambedkar to clarify his position and says: "The unsympathetic and careless attitude which you see me to bear towards the sweepers show that in your scheme of new settlement for the Scheduled Castes as proposed in your book entitled "Gandhi and Emancipation of Untouchables," you will assign the worst position to them (sweepers) than the caste-Hindus have already assigned to the Depressed Classes in the villages...."

Throwing a challenge at Dr. Ambedkar to prove his sincerity towards the sweeper community, the letter asks him to persuade any of the members of the Scheduled Castes to vacate his seat in the Central Legislature in favour of a qualified one from the sweeper community.

Copies of the letter have been forwarded to Mr. Churchill, Mr. L. S. Amery, H. E. the Viceroy, Mahatma Gandhi, Mr. M. A. Jinnah, Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru and Members of the Viceroy's Executive Council.

"PAKISTAN DETRIMENTAL TO MUSLIMS"

Dr. Ansari Says All-India Majlis Stands For Unity

CALICUT, May 19 (A.P.I.)—Inaugurating the first conference of the Kerala Provincial Muslim Majlis today, at Allah Bux Nagar, Doctor Shoukatullah Shah Ansari, Secretary, All-India Majlis declared that they stood for the unity and freedom of India. The fight for freedom, he said, dated back to the days of Shah Alam, the Moghul Emperor and narrated the history of the two political organisations in India since then, one a Loyalist group always trying to bring Muslims into the fold of the British Government and the other fighting for the freedom of the country.

Referring to Pakistan, he said, he was convinced that Pakistan was detrimental to Muslims themselves.

He criticised the unrepresentative character of the delegation to the San Francisco Conference.

The Conference commenced with the hoisting of the Majlis flag by Mr. Abdullah Misri of Delhi who explained that the flag was the symbol of the fight for freedom and exhorted all Muslim to rally round that flag.

After the Chairman of the Reception Committee, Adiraja Abdul Rahman of Chirakkal, had delivered the address of welcome, Maulana Abul Majid Khwaja Sahib, President, All-India Muslim Majlis was proposed to the Chair.

The Chairman of the Reception Committee, in his address, paid tributes to the President and Dr. Ansari for the sevices rendered by them to the cause of the Majlis. He expressed the hope that the forthcoming All-India Majlis Conference at Delhi would give a lead to Muslims throughout India.

Messages wishing the Conference success from Mian Iftikharuddin, Lahore, and Mr. S. A. Brelvi, Bombay, among others, were read.

The Presidential address will be delivered tomorrow.

"Natal Ordinances Promote Racial Segregation"

(From Our Correspondent.)

DURBAN, May 18.

Government's intention to introduce legislation to give effect to Natal Indian ordinances is interpreted by Congress leaders as an attempt to use the Housing Act in order to achieve racial segregation. Congress issues press statement, accordingly, which constrained the "Natal Witness" to remark that such Congress protest is merely a mischievous attempt to foment opposition, insisting that housing is the root of the Indian problem and that planned areas must be set aside for various races. The newspaper maintains that there is no justification for the Congress statement that expropriated Indians have not the opportunity to repurchase land and site. Congress argues that established Indians should be allowed to repurchase sites after replanning. Government's proposals are not likely to permit this; otherwise racial zoning could not be achieved. The Witness writes that the fact seems to be that the Indian community will have no sort of settlement except on their settlement and are settlements which the European community will not accept. To pursue Mr. Kajee's declaration that Government's two proposals will violate the Capetown Agreement, is described by the Witness as mere sophistry and not worth pursuing.

Protest Against Arrival Of French Troops In Syria

BEYROUTH, Syria, May 18 (U. P. A.): Bitter protests appeared likely today against the arrival yesterday of a fresh contingent of French troops aboard a warship.

The Premier disclosed their arrival to Parliament last night. To-day, Foreign Minister Henry Pharon took part at Damascus in a meeting presided over by the President of the Syrian Republic to study the situation. Political circles expected forth Syria and Lebanon to appeal to the Arab League over the matter.

Franco-Syrian Peace Parleys

DAMASCUS, May 18 (Reuter): General Ettinne Beynet, French Representative in Syria, saw the President of the Republic and the Minister of Foreign Affairs to-day to open negotiations for a settlement of the Franco-Syrian situation. He explained French ideas on a joint settlement of the problems on the basis of bilateral treaties.

British and Egyptian ministers also called on the Minister for Foreign Affairs.

AMBEDKAR ON SOLUTION OF COMMUNAL PROBLEM

"No Difference Between Dominion Status & Independence"

Giving a talk on the solution of communal problem and on the difference of Dominion Status and Independence, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Executive Councillor of the Viceroy's Council, said at a tea party given in his honour on Sunday at "Cafe Model", Ballard Estate, by his friends and admirers, that the object of all the political parties (whether they belong to Congress, Muslim League, or Mahasabha or any other parties) was the attainment of a system of Government similar to that enjoyed by Australia or Canada known as "Dominion Status." There was absolutely no difference between "Dominion Status" and "Independence" since both collaborate in drawing up one and the same scheme for India.

Both "Dominion Status" and "Independence" lie on the same road, so with regard to the political question there was no dispute whatsoever. It was the solution of communal problem that was confronting the political parties. The monotonous stagnation, however could be relieved if the dispute was clearly understood by the parties. The parties failed to make necessary amends and conciliate the claims of minorities. This could be solved not by accepting the majority rule as the basis of sound proposition but by accepting and solving individual interest. It was the individual interest which was paramount. Protection of the individual should be the fundamental principle of the State.

Concluding, Dr. Ambedkar referred to industrialization and the Defence question and pointed out how they were identical with the 'Independence' of India.

Speaking on the minimum wage principle he advised the creation of an extensive machinery for fixation of wages in several trades, as labour was for the most part unorganised in this country. He suggested various means of settling the minimum standard of wages, both for individual wage-earner and the wage earner with family.

Mr. G. N. Sheerabudhe moved a hearty vote of thanks.

INDIA'S HUGE CREDIT BALANCE IN BRITAIN

LONDON, May 19 (Reuter).—Although the National Expenditure Committee pleads that the information available here, only allows it to generalise about "the circumstances which led to the accumulation of large sterling balances now lying to the Government of India's credit in this country," its report actually gives much insight into who pays for what, how, when, where, why and how much.

Briefly, the division of defence costs between British and Indian Governments is as follows: "India pays for all Military and Air Forces (European as well as Indian) in India and for several smaller items, while Britain pays for all Indian forces employed outside India except one peace-time division and for all munitions and military stores purchased in India (including cost of new factories etc.) and not used by local forces, besides cost of equipment, aircraft weapons, and supplies to India from Britain for which no accounts are kept.

Accordingly, in 5 years upto March 1945, India has borne 973,000,000 Sterling, while Britain has borne 1,031,000,000 Sterling plus the cost of equipment supplied. Besides military expenditure, the British Government has bought raw materials and foods directly in India. Further Sterling balances have arisen from various smaller causes, relatively small. Some of them would ordinarily be considered big, though everything pales in comparison with figures like 1,000,000,000 Sterling but the two main sources are war expenditure and imports from India not balanced by exports to India.

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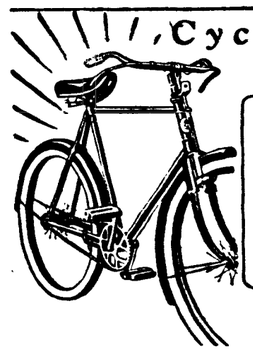

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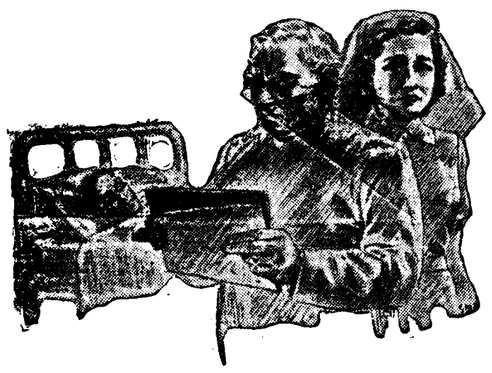
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Domestic Occurrence

DEATH

VORA—Sheth Ranchhoddas Mavji Vora, expired on 20-5-45 at 8-30 p.m. Uthamna ceremony will be held to-day (Monday) at 5-45 (N. S. T.) at his residence Rose Cottage, 11th Road, Khar, Bombay.

To-day's Engagements

MUSLIM STUDENTS' FEDERATION: Conversational meeting at Federation office at 6 p.m. to discuss "Why I Believe in Pakistan."

TELEGRAPH NOTIFICATION.—With immediate effect telegrams are admitted for all places in France except Depts. of Haut-Rhin and Bas-Hin."

CONGRESS WORKERS' STUDY CLASS: Mr. Umashanker Dixit will speak on "Parties Inside and Outside the Congress" today at 7-30 p.m. at 'A' Ward District Congress Committee office at 96-98, Bora Bazar Street, Fort.

RATIONALIST ASSOCIATION OF INDIA.—Meeting to mourn the death of Dr. C. L. D'Avoine at 7 p.m. at Blavatsky Lodge. Dr. A. S. Erulkar will preside. Mr. B. G. Horniman, Dr. Geo. Coelho, and Mr. Abraham Solomon will speak.

VICTORY SYMPOSIUM: Members of the Progressive Group and their guests are invited to a meeting at Taj at 6-30 p.m. when eight specially selected 'common' people will speak on "What Victory Means To Me."

BAZME URDU'S MUSHAERA.—To mark the opening of the Bazme Urdu, a Mushaera has been arranged at the Beg Mahomed Baug at 9-30 p.m. today under the Presidentship of Mr. Ismail A. Adenwala. The following poets will take part: Allama Abul Irshad, Harat Warsi, Hazrat Sager Nizami, Hazrat Mujroo Sultanpuri, Herma Siddique, Aslam Kashmiri.

"Sir Shantidas As Popular Among Commonman As In Govt. House"

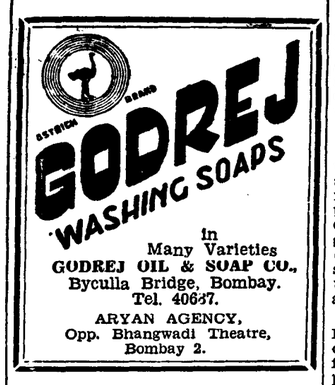
TRIBUTE TO HIS RELIEF AND RECOVERY WORK AFTER CITY EXPLOSION

Glowing tributes were paid to the services rendered by Sir Shantidas Askuran as Sheriff of Bombay during the Bombay dock explosions when an address was presented to him on Saturday night by 23 business organisations at Dana Bunder. Mr. M. A. Master, presided.

Mr Master observed that it was widely believed that the office of the Sheriff rarely interested in the welfare of the people. But the splendid relief and recovery of property work that was organised by Sir Shantidas proved that he was as much popular among the commonman as in the Government House. He personally visited the area devastated by the explosions and impressed upon the Government the need of many useful and urgent measures.

The speaker further observed that Sir Shantidas was reputed to be a close friend of the industrialists who had gone abroad. He hoped that Sir Shantidas would persuade them to keep off from entering into any detrimental deal with regard to foreign capital and control in Indian industrialisation.

Sir Shantidas said that whatever he had been able to do was all due to the co-operation and help of his colleagues to whom he attributed the success of the relief work.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"SOCIALISM BETTER THAN CAPITALISM"

Mr. Joshi On Reasons Of Russians' Victory

The belief that the common man would be dominant all over the world in the new Order to follow the war was expressed by various speakers at a public meeting convened under the auspices of the Friends of the Soviet Union, at the Blavatsky Lodge, on Saturday evening to greet the Red Army and the Soviet Union on their glorious victory over Germany. The front of the hall together with the dais were gaily decorated, and pictures of Stalin and noted Soviet generals prominently displayed. There were also on view sixteen emblems of different Soviet Republics with hammer and sickle common to them all.

Speaking from the Chair, Mr. M. N. Joshi recalled the early days of the Russian was the trials and tribulations through which the Red Army and the Russian civilian population had passed and their final victory over Germany. What was this Soviet success due to? Mr. Joshi had a two-fold answer to this question. Firstly, the object of the Russian military machine in fighting the war was a pure and noble one. They fought only to preserve their own independence without any ulterior motive of territorial acquisition. Secondly, those who participated in the war had this confidence that when war was over there would be no exploitation for them, either internally or externally. It was this that gave strength and inspiration to the Russian people and put greater zeal and energy in them to fight the war

Mr. Joshi added that the success of the Red Army had proved. Socialism to be a better system than capitalism and that it was possible for the former to bring into existence complete equality among different classes of the people.

REDS' GREAT SACRIFICE

Mr. Khwaja Ahmed Abbas observed that Russian people by their sacrifice and martyrdom had established their right to put their flag high above those of others. He wished that the Congress leaders were out of jail to greet the Soviet people on their splendid and heroic achievements. The speaker called upon his countrymen to unite in the cause of Socialism and their own Independence.

Mr. R. M Jambekar said that the Red Flag that waved triumphantly over Berlin today symbolized the urge for freedom of all freedom-loving people of the world. It also stood for the principles of equality and brotherhood. The Russian victory had liberated new forces all over the world. and the San Francisco Conference had to decide many important issues before reaching a final settlement which could guarantee world peace.

Mr. B. T. Ranadive opined that the end of the war had put afloat the progressive forces of the world. The happenings in Italy and Germany indicated that the fate of Nazism and Fascism was already sealed and reactionaries were everywhere at a discount. The chessboard of international politics was changing rapidly. Even Churchill wondered whether he had actually gained the war or lost it for he found that victory was of no avail if peace was not achieved.

A new spirit was seen everywhere and the common man had become dominant.

Mr. Harindranath Chattopadhayaya recited some of his own poems.

Among those present was the Consul-General of Czechoslovakia for India.

Primary Education For Hurs

KARACHI, May 20 (A.P.I.): The Government of Sind has decided to introduce the compulsory primary education in all the nine settlements where over 3,000 Hurs are lodged with their families.

Indian Culture As Common Heritage

Branch Of Hindustani Culture Society To Be Inaugurated In Bombay

Nearly 150 Ladies and Gentlemen responded to the invitation of Mr. B. G. Kher to meet Pandit Sunderlal the Secretary of the Hindustani Culture Society on the 17th inst. at the Indian Merchants Chamber. Amongst them there were Hindus, Muslims, Parsis, Jews, Roman Catholic and Protestant Christians, Sikhs and Jains. The Hindustani Culture Society is an Association formed with the following objects:—

(1) To propagate foster and develop a common Indian Culture. (2) To establish centres for instruction in the common Culture of India and the diffusion of useful knowledge of Indian art and culture in its different branches. (3) To establish libraries for the study of Indian History and for research in the cultural achievements of our people, and investigation and study of religions, philosophies etc. (4) To publish books, journals etc. for the furtherance of cultural unity. (5) To organise Conferences and lectures and to take such other steps as may be necessary for the promotion of cultural unity and the rendering of social service to every community with a view to advance common cultural relations. (6) To help all persons and societies pursuing similar aims (7) To collect funds and to undertake all such activities as will help in the realisation of the aims and objects of the Society.

The President of the Society is the Right Honourable Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru and Dr. Bhagwandas and Dr. Abdul Haque are Vice Presidents. Members are required to make a declaration 'interalia' that they believe in the fundamental unity of all great religions nd culture. After Pandit Sunderlal and Mr. B. G. Kher explained the objects of the Meeting, a general discussion took place and a small Committee was appointed to enrol members and inaugurate a branch of the Hindustani Culture Society in Bombay. The programme includes several activities such as issuing publications, delivering lectures, holding celebrations of prophets days, festivals and generally promoting the common culture. Pandit Sunderlal has received a donation of Rs. 5,000/- to the Society from Mr. Vali Mohomad President of the Sona Chandino Tolwano Dharamno Kanto on behalf of his Association and he has gratefully acknowledged the same and has appealed for further help. His publications Gita and Quaran, the Life of Prophet Mohomad and etc. are being translated in the local languages.

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A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Virtue is attained in proportion as liberty is attained; for virtue does not consist in doing right but in choosing to do right.

—Lord Hugh Cecil

The Bombay Chronicle

EXPLOSIVE SITUATION

Has the war against Germany been won only for the peace to be lost? What was a speculative question is now fast becoming an anxious certainty unless the rot in inter-allied relations is stopped swiftly. Italian Fascism and German Nazism represented an evil monster that was out to destroy the peace of Europe and, with Japan, of the world and also the freedom of other countries. Its challenge was met by a grand coalition of powers, big and small, which united with the dual purpose of destroying the monster and establishing, through continued friendship and co-operation, a new world order of lasting peace and freedom and security for all. The Nazi-Fascist monster has been destroyed. But what about the second and equally vital objective? Nazi Germany had not even been completely crushed into unconditional surrender before differences began to raise their ugly head among the Allies. They have multiplied rapidly and during the last few weeks have gathered an intensity which has turned concern to consternation.

The situation now is marked by open conflict and public exchanges of categorical charges and counter-charges. Two things have just happened which inspire both alarm and despondency. Marshal Stalin has now personally intervened in the Polish controversy. Merits of the issue apart, the positions taken up by Britain and America on the one side and Russia on the other are now frankly antagonistic. Besides the direct conflict over the interpretation of the Yalta agreement, the situation has been further complicated by Britain and America being definitely committed to the support of the 16 Poles in Russian custody and Marshal Stalin committed to their treatment as saboteurs and diversionists. There is, again, the Trieste controversy. This too has assumed alarming proportions especially now with public statements against each other by Field Marshal Alexander and Marshal Tito and with a public declaration by Mr. Joseph Grew that Marshal Tito's reply to the Anglo-American note was "unsatisfactory." Nor have events and developments at San Francisco shown the promise of anything much better than failure and conflict.

The United Nations are already disunited and are splitting themselves into two sharply divided camps in mutual rivalry and conflict. In the spheres both of post-war and future peace, events have led to a situation which is already all but explosive. What is the remedy? Some British papers have pointed out that fundamentally the whole trouble is due to suspicions and lack of confidence. This is a legacy from the past. But given the will to realise the main trouble—although there are other difficulties too than only mutual suspicions—and to remove it, it can be removed. And the sense of crisis and urgency must really help rather than hinder its removal. But for such a consummation it is necessary that the Big Three meet immediately and meet with the resolve to reunite. Otherwise the peace is lost.

The Beggar Problem

In view of the serious attention that is now-a-days being paid to the beggar problem by Governments, local bodies and social service institutions the publication of "Our Beggar Problem—How to Tackle It", edited by Lt. J. M. Kumarappa, Director, Tata School of Social Sciences, Bombay, will be widely welcomed. (Padma Publications, Bombay, pages 294; price Rs. 10). The book contains all or most of the articles written by various authors in the "Indian Journal of Social Work" of June and September 1943. It deals with all the important aspects of the subject, each chapter being written by one who seems to have made a special study of the subject. The co-operative effort, therefore, gives the reader a thorough grasp of the whole subject. It is, we believe, the first comprehensive book on the subject in India.

Where every chapter is written by a specialist it is difficult to chose those of special merit. But from the practical point of view one of the most helpful chapters is that which presents a "Scheme for the gradual tackling of the beggar problem with special reference to the city of Bombay". It is written by Dr. J. F. Bulsara, Deputy Municipal Commissioner, Bombay Municipality. As such schemes can be effective only if they are backed by appropriate legislation, valuable information on this subject is provided in the next chapter which deals with "Legislation relating to Beggary" and is written by John Barnabas. In a chapter on "the Citizen and Scientific Philanthropy" Dr. B. H. Mehta, Reader in Sociology in the Tata Institute of Social Sciences, makes out a case for the rationalisation of our beggar relief. The book concludes with an illuminating study of the wider subject of 'Social Security to prevent Pauperism" by the Editor himself making out a plea for social insurance against industrial disability, superannuation, maternity risks and such other ills to which the poor in general and the factory workers in particular are exposed and which are among the commonest causes of pauperism. Three appendices deal with the question of the management of a Beggar Colony and a fourth contains the text of some existing or proposed legislative measures in India about beggary. Altogether, the book is both scholarly and of great practical value and deserves to be studied by all those who take serious interest in the beggar problem.

Frankly Speaking

A Clumsy Effort

The Japanese have denied reports of their peace offers through the Soviet Union. This is not surprising. They have got to do so until the next stage. But they did make the approach, which fact is corroborated by a spokesman of the Chinese Ministry of Information. They approached the Chinese with terms designed to appeal to the Chinese but which ignored Britain and America just as the offer to the latter two had ignored China. This was a clumsy attempt to split the Allies in the war against Japan and it was bound to fail as it has failed in actual fact. As the hammering of the Japs on land and from the sea and air increases in intensity, we look forward to Japan entering upon the next stage of peace overtures leading ultimately to unconditional surrender. Meanwhile, we should not be surprised if Russia joined in the Far Eastern war pretty soon, for the Soviet Union, with her important interests in the Pacific and north-east Asia cannot deprive itself of a say in the post-war organisation of the Far East. If the Japs are deluding themselves into a different belief they are vastly more mistaken than they were, as they now realise, when in December 1941 they optimistically sallied on to conquer the whole of East Asia.

War-Time Controls

In a communication to the Government of India the Indian Chamber of Commerce has made a strong plea for the immediate removal of war-time controls on Indian trade and industry in view of the end of the war in the West and the prospect of its early end in the East. The Chamber contends that the existing controls have not only bred bribery and corruption but jeopardised the smooth and effective working of normal trade channels, caused scarcity and suffering to the people and hampered the development of Indian trade and industry. There is doubtless much force in these objections, but the sudden and complete removal of all controls may lead to unrestrained profiteering by many traders and manufacturers till normal supply and competition operate to bring down prices. The removal of controls should, therefore, be gradual and should be planned in consultation with committees on which the consumers as well as businessmen are represented. We, however, wholeheartedly endorse the appeal of the Chamber to the Government of India to extend adequate and effective assistance to Indian industries to enable them to step up their production and augment the supply of consumer goods to civilians, as is done by the British and American Governments.

Cholera

Cholera has broken out in various parts of the country and seems to be levying a heavy toll of life owing to the lowered vitality of the poor people in consequence of malnutrition. At the end of the last war more than half a million people died of this disease in India in the years 1918 and 1919. As food conditions are worse now, all the authorities concerned need to be particularly on their guard against the disease, which is capable of spreading with frightful rapidity. In our own province, many villages in Nasik district have recently been in the grip of cholera and it is now raging in Kalyan. As several cases are said to be imported from this place into Bombay city, which is now terribly congested, extraordinary precautions need to be taken by the local authorities and the public alike. The Arthur Road Hospital is admitting all cases of cholera, as of other infectious diseases; and besides isolating them from the public, it is giving the best treatment to the patients. When an attack of cholera is suspected in any locality, persons there or in the neighbourhood should at once inform the Health Department of the Municipality.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

A floating debt isn't necessarily a light one.

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The more money a man has in the bank the more interest he takes in life.

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The reason everybody loves babies and kittens is that they always act natural.

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It is folly to marry for beauty, because beauty will not last and neither will money.

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A critic is a person who is unable to do a thing the way he thinks it ought to be done.

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If men had the gift of second sight there would be fewer cases of love at first sight.

TRUSTEESHIP A BIG FRAUD

Stone's Comment In "The Nation"

NEW YORK, May 20 (U.P.A.): Mr. I. F. Stone, writing in the magazine "Nation", says that from the point of view of the hopes of 750 000 colonial coloured peoples the "whole trusteeship question at the United Nations conference is a big fraud."

"What really has been going on here under the grandiose, attractive idea of trusteeship", Stone says, "is a polite but unmistakable wrangle over strategic bases and terriorial booty which well be left after the Axis is finally defeated."

INDIANS MUST CONTINUE FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Bhulabhai's Advice On Inaugurating Summer Training Class

INAUGURATING THE CONGRESS SUMMER TRAINING CLASS IN THE SPACIOUS COMPOUND OF THE KING GEORGES HIGH SCHOOL, DADAR, ON SUNDAY EVENING, MR. BHULABHAI J. DESAI EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT THE ENTHUSIASM EVINCED ON THE OCCASION FOR DEVELOPING THE SPIRIT OF THE WOMEN WORKERS WOULD SPREAD OVER THE WHOLE COUNTRY.

He wished that the Sevikas and Kumarikas under training would imbibe the courage and strength, which, for instance, the Russian women had shown during the war.

The Summer Camp is organized by Mrs. Sophia Khan the G.O.C. of the Congress Sevika Dal, under the direction of the local Congress. It will last for nearly ten days and has about 150 trainees under it.

The school ground was gaily decorated with national flags, with an improvised dais in a corner. A large and appreciative audience attended the function.

Addressing the gathering Mr. Bhulabhai referred to the glorious part played by Indian soldiers in different theatres of war. He also referred to the war aims of the Allies, and wondered how far they could be relied on. Had there been any sincerity in what they promised, said Mr. Desai, India would have been already granted freedom by this time. They had bitter experience of the last war and could not forget the injustice perpetrated on them at the end of it.

Continuing, Mr. Desai said that though war was over in Europe their struggle for independence still continued. They could not rest content till freedom was won. No doubt there were several set-backs, but if people remained stuck to their goal, the ultimate victory was sure to be theirs.

Proceeding, Mr. Desai warned his countrymen against being unduly optimistic about deriving any benefit for their country from external developments, and advised them to expect nothing except that which was gained by their own hard labour and sacrifice.

Concluding Mr. Desai congratulated Mrs. Sofia Khan on her new venture.

Mr. Nagindas Master and Mrs. Kamladevi Chattopadhayaya also spoke.

Mr. S. K. Patil read messages of congratulations received from Mahatma Gandhi, Shri Govind Vallabh Pant, Dr. Khan Saheb, Shri Jairamdas Daulatram, Shri B. G. Kher, Shri N. V. Gadgil and Shri Wamanrao Joshi.

EXIT AMERICANS AND CHINESE FROM S.-E. A.C.

Dan Sultan Takes Over Command Of Air Supplies: France Eager To Join War In Far East

ADVANCED HQ., ALFSEA, May 20 (A.P.I.): An official announcement today that Lt.-Gen Dan Sultan Commanding General of the United States India-Burma Theatre has taken over command of the services of supply in this theatre in succession to Maj.-Gen. W E R Covell, who is returning to the United States for a new assignment with the war Department, bears out the feeling here that the Chinese and American forces will take no further active part in South-East Asia Command operations, writes Michael MacDonagh, A.P.I. War Correspondent.

This consolidation of the two U.S. Commands has been going on for some months according to the statement which says:

"It has effected a more efficient administrative unit and has released personnel urgently needed elsewhere the mission of the India-Burma Theatre remains unchanged. As General Sultan explained in a speech to his troops on the successful completion of the Stilwell Road our most important mission will be continuing giving maximum support to China."

EXIT U. S.

Today's statement suggests that the combatant mission of the round forces of the India-Burma Theatre ended to all intents and purposes now that the old Burma Road has been reopened.

Apart from air co-operation the American forces have taken no part in the recent Burma fighting and now that the European war has ended and larger reinforcements are available, American air support may be considered unnecessary.

As the statement declares, the personnel "urgently needed elsewhere" has already been released presumably for service in China and there can be no doubt that China's need for trained fighting troops is considerable.

Whether any change in the structure of the South-East Asia Command is contemplated is uncertain but the command will in fact, if not in name, be solely British.

American aid will be primarily directed to China.

ENTER FRANCE

It is also believed that Gen. de Gaulle who expressed the wish that French troops should take part in the war against Japan will seek a place for his troops in future SEAC operations. The French battleship "Richelieu" has taken a prominent part in naval operations in the Indian Ocean recently and doubtless De Gaulle will wish to see French troops at least being a part of any force occupy French Indo-China.

Canadian Troops For Pacific

OTTAWA, May 20 (Reuter): The Canadian force which will serve in the Pacific will be called the Sixth Division and will probably be commanded by Lt.-Gen. Simonds, aged 41 of Kingston, Ontario, it is understood.

Commenting on the statement made by Mr. MacKenzie King, Canadian Prime Minister, at Edmonton, Alberta, that the force would consist of 30.000 men, an Ottawa source said today that it would probably consist of a combat division of about 12.000 men, an independent armoured brigade of about 3.000 and equal reinforcements for each.

CHINESE CAPTURE DIONGLOH

CHUNGKING, May 20 (Reuter): Chinese troops who occupied the treaty port of Foochow have pushed six miles beyond the town and captured the small town of Diongloh south of the Min river which flows into the sea near Foochow, reports today's Chinese communique.

The Chinese yesterday threw the Japanese off two heights in Southern Honan (Central China) and averted the threat of invasion to the province of Shensi further west.

AMERICAN BOMBERS RAID NANKING

NEW YORK, May 20 (Reuter): Small formations of American bombers raided Nanking, the seat of the Japanese-sponsored puppet Government in China twice today, according to a Tokyo radio report heard here.

The airfield was one of their targets.

A large force of bombers attacked the south-western east of Korea the radio report said. It claimed that Japanese planes had sunk five submarines in Malaccca Straits, which separates Sumatra from Malaya, and off Lombok island in the Dutch East Indies since May 10.

Japs 'Strengthen War Structure'

LONDON, May 20 (Reuter): The Japanese News Agency quoting a communique from the Japanese Board of Information today, said that high Japanese Government officials "concerned with the affairs of the Asiatic Continent" have agreed on measures to strengthen the material side of the Greater East Asia's war structure.

They took part in a two-day conference, at which Admiral Kantaro Suzuki, the Japanese Prime Minister, presided.

The communique added that Admiral Suzuki urged strenous efforts in view of the war situation and general conditions at home and abroad, and stressed the policy of consolidating "the total power of Japan in Manchukuo and China as the nucleus of East Asia."

PRINCE KOTOHITO KANIN DEAD

The Japanese News Agency today announced that Marshal Prince Kotohito Kanin of the Japanese Imperial House died early today aged 80

Reuter adds that the Prince was one of the richest leaders of the Japanese Army and was also the eldest member of Imperial household.

When the Japanese invaded Manchuria in 1931 Kanin was chief of Japanese General Staff. He resigned from this post in October, 1940.

ALLIED TASK FORCE AT IT AGAIN

NEW YORK, May 20 (Reuter): An Allied task force is "again on the prowl and appears to be attempting an approach to Kyushu" said a Japanese News Agency report picked up here today.

Reuter adds Kyushu is the southernmost of the Japanese mainland islands and is about 350 miles north of Okinawa.

"Bombay Plan Cannot Be Financed Without Inflation"

Oxford Statistician Points Out Two Serious Errors Of Calculation

LONDON, May 20 (Reuter).—The financial parts of the "Bombay Plan" are based on a cranky misleading monetary theory which, if adhered to, will produce the wildest inflation, writes E. F. Schumacher, Oxford Statistician in the "Sunday Observer" this week.

Before pointing out two serious errors of calculation, Schumacher restates the figures and says, "they require about 7,500 million sterling of capital for their plan, of which they expect to get 1,950 million through "external" and 5550 million through "internal" finance. Well and good. External finance enables India to buy "additional" imports for industrialisation, that is, imports in addition to those which she would buy anyhow.

Sources of external finance are gold hoarded in India (225 million sterling); India's claims on Britain (given as 750 million sterling); India's export surplus (450 million sterling); and foreign borrowing (525 million sterling).

And now "Internal Finance"—money to buy development goods in the home market. 5,550 million sterling and it is suggested that 3,000 million sterling will come from "savings" and 2,550 million sterling from "created money."

"TWO SERIOUS ERRORS"

This calculation involves two serious errors, Schumacher adds. "The first is that India's export surplus is counted as something in addition to India's "savings", whereas an export surplus is part of a country's savings. The second is more serious: "created money" is no source of finance that can simply be added to savings. If a Government creates money and spends it, that money must be saved by the public before it causes limitless inflation."

Schumacher emphasises that the Bombay Plan cannot be financed without inflation, if the people of India save only 3,000 million sterling—six per cent of the National Income, it can safely be financed only if India saved 6,000 million sterling, he concludes, adding, "no poor community will save twelve per cent of its current income, unless, very stringest measures are applied to control consumers' expenditure."

CRIPPS OPENS ELECTION CAMPAIGN

CHORLEY (Lancashire), May 20 (Reuter): Sir Stafford Cripps, Minister of Aircraft Production, referred to the "declining chaotic cotton industry with apparently little hope of prospect unless someone takes it drastically in hand", in a speech here to-day.

Declaring that during the war no one had questioned the rightness of the decision to plan and control war industries on up to date lines, Sir Stafford Cripps said that in cotton, coal and other industries owners had taken out all the profits they could. They had not put back the necessary finances to enable all the research and development to be done that was required to keep the industries up-to-date and efficient.

Vote For Labour

"The Labour Party puts happiness and good living of the mass of the people before the property interests of the few," declared Sir Stafford Cripps. "That is a fundamental philosophical difference between the two parties and that is what you will have to vote about at the next general election."

SPORTS

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POPE PLUMP FOR SPORT

LONDON, May 20 (Reuter): Vatican radio today broadcast an address to sports associations by the Pope, in which he emphasised that the Church was profoundly keen on fostering sport, for, according to Christian principles, the body is God's best work and as such must be cared for.

He added: "Sport teaches us to get rid of petty rivalry and in the last instance of petty nationalism At the same time it teaches us to bear our responsibilities with full consciousness. Thus sport must be considered a necessary part of life but not as the reason of life itself."

GIANT SILVER CUP FOR SERVICE TO ART

TRIVANDRUM, May 19 (A.P.I.): A giant-size silver cup costing over Rs. 3.500 will be presented to Nawab T. Rajamanickam Pillay of the Madura Devi Bala Vinodha Sabha, by the public of Travancore to mark their "appreciation of the meritorious service rendered by Nawab T. Rajamanickam towards the resuscitation of the art of Tamil Drama."

The list of donars to the cup includes the Dewan Sachivotama Sir C. P. Ramaswami Iyer, the Archbishop of Trivandrum, the Chief Justice, the Chief Secretary to the Government of Travancore and Capt Tambi.

BRITT'S FIRST SUCCESS IN BRITAIN

Gaekwar Watches Race And Compliments Him!

STOCKTON, May 19 (Reuter). The Gaekwar of Baroda watched the crack two-year old Maharaj Kumar chestnut colt by Stardyst out of Pancha, ridden by the champion Indian jockey Edgar Britt easily win Tanton Two-Year Old Stakes of five furlongs. Maharaj Kumar bought in Ireland for 2.000 guineas, started four to seven favourite, winning by three lengths from 14 opponents. A big crowd gave the Australian-born jockey a great ovation when he came back.

The Gaekwar, who was in the uniform of a Lt.-Col congratulated Britt on his first success in Britain.

Britt had earlier had a ride in Faceby Two-Year Old Stakes, but his Mount Riston, who finished fifth of 18 runners, did not appears to be fancied.

Kamla Club Enter Quarter-Finals

BHOPAL, May 19 (A.P.I.): The Kamla Club, Cawnpore the Aga Khan Cup holders, this evening entered the quarter-finals of the All-India Obaidullah Khan Gold Cup Hockey Tournament by scoring a one goal victory over the M. E. S. Recreation Club, Budni.

Karachi Goans Beat St. Patricks

KARACHI, May 19 (A.P.I.): The Karachi Goan Association beat the St. Patricks High School Sports Club by two goals to nil in the Munawar Hockey tournament this evening.

BANGALORE MUSLIMS BEAT BANGALORE MARS

BANGALORE, May 19 (A.P.I.): Bangalore Muslims beat Bangalore Mars by three goals to nothing in the final of Mysore War Fund Football tournament by three goals to nil today.

Bolton Wins A. L. L. North Cup Final

BOLTON, May 19, (Reuter): A huge crowd of 40.000 turned out to watch the first match of the All Lancashire League North Cup Final.

Manchester United won the toss.

The defence took the first half honours at half-time the score being Bolton 0, Manchester United 0.

The final result:—Bolton 1, Manchester United 0.

R.A.F. Korangi Annex Soccer Cup

KARACHI, May 20 (A.P.I.): R.A.F. Korangi, annexed the Mir Ayub Khan Football Cup by defeating Muslim Azad by the odd goal in five during extra time this evening on the Y.W.C.A. Ground. Mrs. P. Stemenson, sister in charge of the General Hospital gave away the trophies.

Gracie Fields To Tour Battle Fronts

HOLLYWOOD May 18. (Reuter): Gracie Fields and her husband Monty Banks will shortly leave Hollywood for a tour of the world's battlefronts.

The main object will be to entertain fighting men in the Pacific and the China-India theatre.

ASSAM EDITORS CONFER

GAUHATI, May 20 (U.P.I.): The Assam Editors and Journalists' Conference was held in the Kamrup Academy Hall. Mr. Harendranath Barua, former editor of "Assamiya" presided. Mr. Fakhruddin Ali Ahmed, ex-Minister, performed the opening ceremony.

The Conference adopted resolutions demanding the commutation of death sentences of the Ashu-Chimur prisoners; immediate release of political prisoners; restoration of civil liberty; and withdrawal of restrictions on the press.

A resolution requested the Assam Government to reconstitute the Assam Press Advisory Committee making it more representative of Assam and the Assamese press.

By another resolution the Conference requested the Standing Committee of the All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference to include one representative in the said Committee for Assam.

JAPS BUILDING UNDERGROUND HOMES

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19 (U.P.A.)—The Tokyo Radio today quoted a Domei News Agency dispatch as reporting that five thousand "semi-underground homes" were being built in Tokyo.

Material for the homes is being reclaimed from buildings blasted by American air attacks, the report added.

TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

LONDON, May 19 (Reuter): British Foreign Secretary, Anthony Eden, fresh from conversations with President Truman, has warned his colleagues of the War Cabinet that it will be difficult to achieve an agreement at the next "Big Three" meeting, according to the diplomatic correspondent of the "Sunday Observer."

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An American contributor to a well-known Liberal magazine of New York wants to know if India's desire for freedom is "a domestic question for Britain alone or.... an international matter...."

Neither. It is an inter-dependent question between Britain and the Government of India.

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According to a 'Frisco report re. the trusteeship scheme, "the British.....drew a distinction between self-government and independence."

Naturally. With the British their word is some other people's bond.

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Mr. A. K. Fazlul Huq has explained that he wants to return to the Muslim League so that he might have a hand in "restoring it to its pristine purity."

You might wonder what Mr. Huq, Muslim Leaguer turned Nationalist, Nationalist turned Muslim Leaguer, then again M. L. turned N and now N about M. L., was talking about.

What he probably meant by "pristine purity" was the state when Mr. A. K. Fazlul Huq star performed on the League platform as a composite lion and tiger roaring at every Hindu within and even beyond range.

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But, of course, Mr. Fazlul Huq is wrong in suggesting that the Muslim League needs restoration to "its pristine purity."

The Muslim League has always been pristine pure. And crystal clear too.

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Field Marshal Alexander says in a "special message" to the troops under his command: "It is, however, Marshal Tito's apparent intention to establish his claims by force of arms and military occupation."

Tito, that is, is propounding a sort of "What we hold we mean to be ours" principle. Too bad, too bad.

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By the way, it is really a great relief to know that things remain within the confines of Special Message—Radio statement exchanges and have not over-stepped into "Orders of the Day" stage.

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Speaking at Ankara, President Ineunu has urged that "for men as for nations, the essential point is to show mutual respect and toleration towards the existence and the opinions of all."

We earnestly say Amen!

MAYOR PRAISES VALOROUS DEEDS

Mr. E. P. Fitter Awarded Kendall Humanity Medal

A social function was held at C. J. Hall on Saturday evening to congratulate Mr. Eruch P. Fitter, for being awarded the Kendall Humanity Medal for valorous deeds. Dr. Alban D'Souza, the Mayor of Bombay presided. An interesting programme of music and magic tricks entertained the audience.

Dr. D'Souza praised the courageous deeds of Mr. Fitter, and presented him with the medal. Rao Bahadur J. Mankar, Secretary of the Bombay Humanitarian League, Mr. J. R. B. Jijibhoy, Mr. F. K. Marshal also congratulated him on the occasion. Inspector Todd and Mr. Rustam Thanawala, Director of Civil Supplies Enforcement were among those present.

Mr. Fitter, in a suitable reply, thanked all present for the honour done to him.

MAVLANKAR'S AWARD ON MAY 29

Kirloskar Brothers Employees' Demands

KIRLOSKARWADI, May 20 (A.P.I.) It is understood that Mr. G. V. Mavlankar, Speaker of the Bombay Legislative Assembly, who was requested to arbitrate in the dispute between the workers and management of the Kirloskar Brothers Works, has sent his award to the Prime Minister of Aundh State.

The award will be notified to the parties concerned on May 29 Mr. N. V. Gadgil, President of the Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee, who represented the workers, has been asked to be present at Kirloskarwadi on that day.

The arbitration and inquiry was carried on at Poona where the workers and the management presented their cases to Mr. Mavlankar regarding the demands of the workers for increase in wages, bonus and other amenities.

A.-I. W. C.'S INVITATION TO I. A. W.

BOMBAY, May 20 (U.P.I.): Mrs. Kamaladevi Chattopadhyaya, President, All-India Women's Conference, has sent an invitation to the International Alliance of Women requesting them to send a representative to international delegation of women the next annual session of the All India Women's Conference to be held in December next.

C. R. FOR MADRAS

POONA, May 20 (A.P.I.): Mr. C. Rajagopalachari, who arrived here yesterday from Mahableshwar, left for Madras to-day by Madras Express this evening.

TITO'S RETORT TO ALEXANDER

"Yugoslavia Cannot Be Tricked Out Of Her Rights"

NOTE TO AMERICA REITERATES CLAIM TO VENEZIA GIULIA

LONDON, May 20 (Reuter): Marshal Tito, the Yugoslav Premier and Commander-In-Chief, has expressed "resentment and surprise" at Field Marshall Sir Harold Alexander's statement on the Trieste situation, reports Reuter's Radio Station.

The Yugoslav News Agency today quoted Marshal Tito as saying "I cannot but express my resentment and surprise at the impossible comparison that the presence of Yugoslav troops in Venezia Giulia and Trieste areas is similar to Hitler's, Mussolini's Japanese methods of conquest."

"Such comparison", the Yugoslav Premier added, "can only be thrown into the face of the enemy but not on to a tortured and bled-white ally, which until now, was recognised by all freedom-loving people as an example of heroism and self-sacrifice in this great war of liberation.

"CAN'T BE TRICKED OUT OF HER RIGHTS"

The Yugoslav army chased forces of occupation with the might of their arms right to the River Soca (Isonzo) and beyond and the charge of conquest cannot be attributed to its presence in this territory.

"I declare once again that Yugoslavia is prepared to co-operate with Allied forces and with Allied countries, but at the same time, I declare that Yugoslavia cannot allow herself to be humiliated or that she should be tricked out of her rights.

"I declare that Yugoslavia is prepared for collaboration and agreement on such basis, which shall not be insulting nor humiliating for herself as an Allied country."

Reuter recalls that Field-Marshal Sir Harold Alexander, Allied Commander-in-Chief in the Mediterranean on Saturday condemned Marshal Tito's occupation of Venezia Giulia and Trieste area as an attempt to "establish his claims by force." Field-Marshal Alexander added, "action of this kind would be all too reminiscent of Hitler, Mussolini and Japan. It is to prevent such actions that we have been fighting this war."

Yugoslav Note To America

WASHINGTON, May 19 (Reuter): Acting Secretary of State Mr. Joseph Grew announced that United States has received a note from the Yugoslav Government concerning the Yugoslav assumption of authority in Venezia Giulia.

Mr. Grew said, the note constituted a reiteration of Yugoslavia's territorial claims to that area and proposed a method of solution of the question which would not be reconciled with the American position as outlined in his statement made a week ago.

TOWARDS CLIMAX

ROME, May 19 (Reuter).—This is the history made public today, of Field-Marshal Alexander's negotiations with Marshal Tito on the question of military occupation of Trieste and Venezia Giulia reports Hubert Harrison, Reuter's special correspondent in Rome.

In July, 1944, at Field Marshal Alexander's invitation the two leaders talked at lake Bolsena where they agreed that when their forces met, Marshal Tito's troops should control Fiume and the territory east of the dividing line and Field-Marshal Alexander's troops control Venezia Giulia.

In Belgrade, in February this year, Marshal Tito further agreed to the Allied Military Government administering the Trieste area.

Field Marshal Alexander explained the need for him to control the communications lines from Trieste when his forces would be occupying Austria and stated this might involve the occupation of all territory west of the 1938 frontiers of Italy and Yugoslavia.

Marshal Tito agreed provided such civil administration as was already established in the area would remain.

Two months later, when the link-up was completed Field-Marshal Alexander sent his Chief of Staff, General W. D. Morgan to Belgrade with a document providing that all armed units in Venezia Giulia should be administered by the Allied Military Government, though use would be made of any Yugoslav vigilance administration already set up and working satisfactorily. Marshal Tito should withdraw the Yugoslav Regular Forces and the Irregulars should hand over arms to the Allied Military Government.

NOT A MILITARY PROBLEM

On reading the document, Marshal Tito said, an understanding could not now be reached as the problem was now a political and not military one. He considered that Yugoslavia had the right as one of the Allies to occupy the territories she had conquered and he did not intend to withdraw his force and insisted that his civil administration should remain in control. He offered Field-Marshal Alexander port facilities of Trieste and communications into Austria but insisted that the area remain under Yugoslav control. General Morgan then reported to Field-Marshal Alexander that further military conversations were useless.

Sforza Refutes Yugoslavia

ROME, May 19 (U.P.A.)—Count Carlo Sforza, pre-fascist Italian Foreign Minister and one of the Italian negotiators of the Rapalo Treaty which gave Trieste to Italy, sent messages today to the British, American and Russian governments refuting Yugoslav claims that the Rapalo Treaty is invalid.

He asserted that a "Yugoslav Trieste would be a new Alsace-Lorraine which would poison the world."

Polak On Problem Of Feeding India's Growing Population

(A. P. SPECIAL FOREIGN SERVICE)

MANCHESTER, May 19.

The problem of feeding India's growing population is referred to by Mr. H. S. L. Polak, Secretary of the India Overseas' Association and a life-long friend of Mahatma Gandhi

Writing in to-day's "Manchester Guardian", Mr. Polak says:—

"One in five of all mankind resides in India, whose population in the last decade has increased at the rate of that of Canada every two years.

Prof. A. V. Hill's figures, showing an increase of the population at the present rate to over 700 millions in the next 30 years, provide a staggering problem which will require for its solution the combined effort of all patriotic Indian parties, groups and leaders. All these human stomachs have but one religion or politics, the craving need to be adequately filled. All these bodies require to be properly clothed and housed before India can hold us her head in pride and face her destiny with confidence.

Cannot an agreement be reached among the party leaders even now, before the defeat of Japan, upon a National Government whose dual purpose will be (a) that defeat itself and (b) the large-scale planning of that first priority, namely, agricultural improvement and development?

TORY SUCCESS IN BY-ELECTION

NEWPORT MONMOUTHSHIRE, May 18 (Reuter): The Conservative candidate, Lieutenant-Commander Bell, was elected here in the first Parliamentary by-election since the end of the war in Europe.

His opponent was Bob Edwards, one of the leaders of the Extreme Left-Wing Independent Labour Party who polled 13,772 votes. Bell had 16,424 votes.

The by-election was caused by the death of the Conservative member for this area, Sir Reginald Clarry.

NEW DELHI, May 18: A series of improvements connected with pay and designed to bring the women's auxiliary corps (India)) into line with its English equivalent, the auxiliary territorial service, has been sanctioned in recent months by the Government of India.

What Okinawa Gives Yanks

HUGE JAPANESE LOSSES IN OKINAWA BATTLE

GUAM, May 20 (Reuter): Unit of the Sixth Marine Division lost Sugarloaf hill, important position overlooking Okinawa's capital Naha, but reoccupied its summit for the fifth time on Friday morning says to-day's 'communique' from Admiral Chester Nimitz's Headquarters.

"The Japanese have sacrificed large numbers of troops in the defence of this key position before Naha" the 'communique' adds.

American marines repulsed a Japanese counter-attack near Takamotoji village, north-east of Naha, on Saturday.

The Japanese defence of Okinawa cost them 48,103 killed up to Thursday. American casualties since March 18 for the Ryukyus and associated operations are 8,310 killed and missing. 22,216 were wounded.

American Advance On Luzon

MANILA, May 20 (Reuter): American troops on Luzon have carried out a mopping up campaign against a large encircled Japanese force, General MacArthur's 'communique' reported to-day.

Australian troops in North-Eastern New Guinea captured Cape Boram, flanking Wewak harbour and Boram Bay.

5,000 Indian National Army Men Captured

KANDY May 17, (A. P. I.): A statement issued from Admiral Mountbatten's Headquarters said: "More prisoners from the Indian National Army have now been captured and the total taken from this Japanese raised force now exceeds 5,000."

Jap Defence Line In Thailand

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18 (U. P. A.): Radio Tokyo announced today that it would be possible for Japan to build a defence line on the western border of Thailand which could be manned by Japanese soldiers withdrawing from Burma.

Not D-Day For Burma

Master's Scathing Criticism Of British Policy

"There can be no freedom for you to-day. Try your luck to-morrow. Convince us that you all can agree as to the form of Government you want. Thereafter, we shall decide when to slacken the fetters of your political bondage. Remember your freedom will, when and if given, be subject to our retaining the power we need for discharging our age-long trust and obligations In the meantime, our Governor will shape your destiny. This is the message which the White Paper recently issued by His Majesty's Government brings on the morn of victory to the people of Burma awaiting for their long promised day of liberation", says Mr. M. A. Master, President, Indian Merchants' Chamber, Bombay, in a statement issued to the press.

He adds "this is indeed a strange world. What is considered essential for the West is not considered desirable for the East. While the maintenance of freedom of the liberated parts of Europe, such as Poland and Austria, has become a matter of prestige amongst the big powers, the right of Britain to continue to keep India and Burma under political subjection seems to have been taken for granted by the big powers who profess that they fought the war for securing freedom for the nations of the world. Problems of reconstruction and rehabilitation, and the restoration of the ravaged properties do not come in the way of keeping the flag of freedom flying in the liberated countries of Europe. They are, however, advanced as serious impediments for granting immediate freedom to the people of Burma. Not the true sense of justice, not the ideals for which the war is fought but the powerful influence of British bayonets seems to have won the argument in deciding the policy of granting self-Government and Independence to India and Burma. The Conservative Blue-Print, with a little modification here and there, has become the recognised Imperial policy of Britain towards Burma. No patriotic Burman can or will enthuse over the implications of such a policy for the freedom of his country. Any one who carefully analyses the stages laid down for reaching the goal of self-Government cannot escape the conclusion that it is impossible to predict as to how many years will pass before the promised goal will come in sight. In the meantime, it is the British that will settle all questions connected with social services, economic reconstruction and industrial development in Burma. Burmans who have been anxious to decide all these questions for themselves and in the interests of their people and their country will have hardly any say in the matter.

NOT A HAPPY BEGINNING

This is surely not a happy beginning on the day of liberation. Instead of bringing joy and peace, it is likely to increase the bitterness and discontent undesirable alike in the interests of Britain as well as in the interests of Burma. So far as India is concerned, she would like to see Burma receiving freedom and Independence at the earliest date possible. With a million and a half of Indians who lived in Burma at the outbreak of the war, with her vast stakes in the industries, trade and economy of that country, and with the strategic position of Burma in the matter of defence and general security in the East, India is immensely interested in Burma's political future. The foretaste of how India's interests are likely to suffer under the pure autocracy of the Burma Governor is indicated by a recent step which that Government have taken by inviting Indians to furnish information of a variegated character in an application which they are called upon to submit to them. It is bound to revive the bitter controversy of 1941 regarding the right of Indians to go to Burma. It is also significant that it is the British interests which are proposed to be safeguarded in the proposed Treaty between Burma and Britain before Burma gets self-Government. India's rights and interests do not find any place therein. The time has come when the Government of India should make it clear as to how they propose to safeguard those interests till a proper Treaty can be made between a free India and a free Burma. Till then, the Burmese people will have to be extremely vigilant and continuously active for carrying on a ceaseless constitutional fight for securing their full freedom and Indians will have to remain wideawake and request their Government to see that the rights of Indians in Burma are not sacrificed, but are kept and maintained on the same level as those of the Britishers domiciled in the United Kingdom.

J. J. Singh On Burma White Paper

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18 (U. P. A.): J. J. Singh, President of the India League of America, today charged that the British announcement on Burma was timed to influence the trusteeship sub-committee "where Britain is insisting on the usage of the word 'self-government' instead of independence."

"Burmans and Indians do not attach any importance to these empty words", Singh said.

Jap "Comfort Girls" In Fighting Gear

PROME, May 19 (A.P.I.): Troops of the 14th Army are fighting a new foe in Burma—Jap "comfort girls" who have taken their place in the dwindling ranks of the enemy. About 40 of these girls, who had had their hair shorn and had been issued rifles and uniforms, have just been encountered.

One of these girls was wounded and brought into a divisional headquarters, writes an Indian army observer.

Britain Neglects Mass-Education In India

'FRISCO "CHRONICLE" CRITICISES IMPERIALIST POLICY

From S. A. SABAVALA "Chronicle" Special Representative

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18: The British Information Service has announced that Britain will grant full self-government to Burma after the war, as soon as conditions permit the holding of free elections.

In an editorial entitled "India—A World Question", the San Francisco "Chronicle" says: "This important announcement differs radically from British announcements to date regarding India and we are not creating any controversy to say so. The historic emergence at San Francisco of the concept of an International Bill of Rights, implies that internal Government everywhere may come to be regarded as a legitimate world concern and under this futuristic sanction perhaps Americans can speak on Indian affairs and Englishmen on American affairs without intrusions."

ASIATICS WILL ASSERT RIGHT TO BE FREE

The "Chronicle" continues: "The years 1945-46 culminate years of ferment in Asia and will usher in the years of great decisions. There is every sign that no return to the status quo will be possible. Asiatics means to have more freedom and the Western peoples may take their choice between enabling this larger freedom by compromise or wasting their energies and substances putting down endless salients of rebellion."

PROBLEMS OF UNDER-EDUCATION

The "Chronicle" also mentions our overpublicized Hindu-Muslim differences in these terms: "It is quite true that Hindus and Muslims have shown insufficient evidence that they can rise to social objectives over the hurdles of religious hatred and any political subdivision of India would most certainly, if left to its natural manifestations, work outrageous injustices upon its religious minorities. For that matter, Hindus, who are the most passionate advocates of freedom for India at large, sanction the monstrous slavery of the caste system among themselves, but these problems are in large measure problems of under-education. Any people **is educatable and the raj has not made mass education for India possible. I quote extensively from this** editorial for two reasons: Firstly, the "Chronicle" is what we would call a reactionary paper and therefore its emphasis on freedom for Asiatics is all the more important. Secondly India normally figures very little in the American press particularly at this time when every inch of every column is crammed with news of the Conference and the Pacific War.

GENERAL DISBELIEF OF BRITISH INTENTIONS

Of course no one believes in this sudden change of heart in the British. They have no intention of giving freedom to anyone least of all to one of their most prized possessions. This sudden liberalism is only due to increased pressure from all sides. The delegation here, for instance, is constantly harrassed by the question: What about India? In fact, during the last few years, the Englishman has been compelled to learn more about his Asiatic acquisitions than he is acquistomed to know during his lifetime. This is in self-defence, as, wherever he goes, he has had to fight for the justification of the British Empire. The British information service announcement is just such a justification.

New Govt. For Transjordan

CAIRO, May 19 (Reuter).—The Transjordan Cabinet headed by Samir Elrifai Pasha has resigned and a new Government has been formed by Ibrahim Hacmem Pasha.

To Save World From Another War

"Britain Must Bear Her Share," Says Attlee

LONDON, May 18 (Reutet): The Deputy Prime Minister Mr. Clement Atlee came back from the San Francisco Conference "not dissatisfied" with the progress made, he said in a broadcast from London to-night.

Perhaps the only really big controversial matter outstanding was the position of the great powers on the Security Council. There was still a good deal of objection by other powers, but he thought it likely that ultimately the practical importance of setting up theorganisation would lead to the acquiescence of those who disliked the proposal in theory.

If the scheme became a reality, Britain and British people would be accepting very definite obligations. Britain would have to make her contribution to the armed forces with which the world organisation should be equipped to deter, or if necessary, defeat any aggressor. That meant that Britain would have to provide the armed forces to bear her share of price that must be paid to save the world from another world war.

Ukraine To Be Rubber Production Centre

LONDON, May 19 (U.P.A.): The Moscow Radio, in a broadcast dealing with conversion of Soviet industry to peace, revealed that the Ukraina was being developed as a main centre of natural rubber production.

In addition, textile factories in that area, which have been making cloth for the Red Army, now have gone over to civilian manufacture. Among these factories is a large one located in Kharkov, said the broadcast

"Liberate India Here & Now"

LONDON, May 19. (U. P. I.): "The way to encourage revolt by the peoples in the Far East against Japanese Imperialism is to provide evidence that Britain intends to liberate them. The surest proof would be to liberate India here and now" writes the "New Leader" organ of the Independent Labour Party, commenting on the statement issued by the Indian Freedom Campaign Committee on India early this week.

Menon Re-Admitted To British Labour Party

(From Our Correspondent.)

LONDON, May 19.

It is understood that Mr. Krishna Menon, Secretary, India League,—has been re-admitted to the British Labour Party. This decision, it is learnt, was taken following an application from Mr. Menon on the ground that the last Labour Party Conference passed a resolution on India which is compatible with the political stand taken by the Congress.

It is also learnt that the National Executive of the Labour Party is now looking for a suitable constituency for Menon to stand as the Party's candidate in the next general election.

In 1940, when the Labour Party barred Mr. Menon from Parliamentary candidature, he was told that the decision was reached because of Mr. Menon's allegiance to the Congress and that as such he could not give the exact degree of loyalty and discipline to the British Labour Party. Mr. Menon then was Labour candidate for one of the Dundee seats.

NAGPUR, May 19. (U. P. I.): It is announced that Mr. R. M. Deshmukh, now the Government of India's Agent in South Africa, has resigned his seat as Member of the C. P. and Berar Legislative Assembly. He represented the Berar Landholders

New York Cotton Market Steady

NEW YORK, May 18: Cotton opened steady, at one point to six points higher. Prices advanced on price fixing in near months and tightness of the spot situation with buying in distant months suitable to increasing apprehension over the crop outlook and the expected renewal of the commodity credit corporation purchasing programme which is expected to expire on June 30. The market then quited fluctuating narrowly with routine trade buying meeting scattered offerings. Latterly prices ruled quiet and steady on persistent driddling of price-fixing and unfavourable crop reports. Otherwise there was no fresh news. Finally realising developed but the session closed steady one point to four points higher.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, May 19

July	22.90
October	22.43
December	22.31
January	22.28
March	22.17
May	22.09
July	21.84
October	unquoted
Middling Spot	23.37

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

New York, May 19

July	22.88
October	22.41
December	22.30
January	unquoted
March	22.18
May	22.07
Middling Spot	22.45

LONDON BULLION

London, May 19

London Bullion market closed.

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, May 19

T T London on—	
New York sellers	4.02 1/2
New York buyers	4.03 1/2
Madrid official	44.00
Montreal sellers	4.48
Montreal buyers	4.47
Zurich sellers	17.3
Zurich buyers	17.4
Stockholm sellers	16.85
Stockholm buyers	16.95

LONDON WHEAT

London, May 19

London Wheat market closed

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, May 19

London Stock Exchange closed.

The market opened quiet and steady with early trading hesitant. Prices rallied under the leadership of new crops on covering and rade buying coupled with scarcity of contracts and emphasis on bullish crop, spot and textiles news. The session closed steady.

WALL STREET MARKET

NEW YORK, May 19 (Reuter)

Wall Street opened generally higher and active and despite considerable profit-taking, continued to make further ahead on good investment demand prompted by the idea that post-war consumer spending would reach a record level. Pleasing dividends and quarterly statements helped individual favourites. Gains towards the close ranged up to one point with the session finished firm.

American Telephone 166 1/2, (166 1/2), Amrex Corporation 31 7/8 (31 7/8), Anaconda Copper 34 1/2 (34 3/8), Chase National Bank 42 (41 7/8), Consolidated Oil 16-3 (16 3/8), Firestone Tyre 62 (62 5/8), General Electric 43 5/8 (43 7/8), General Motors 69 1/8 (69 1/2), Ingersol Rand 117 1/2 (118), International Nickel 35 1/4 (35 1/8), National City Bank 42 1/2 (42 3/8), New York Central 25 7/8 (25 3/4), Socony Vacuum 16 1/4 (16 1/8), Texas Corporation 53 3/4 (53 1/8), Union Carbon 92 1/4 (92 1/4), U S Smelting refining 68 (67 1/2), U S Steel Corporation 68 7/8 (67 1/2), Western Union 47 3/4 (47 1/4).

Chicago Grain Market

CHICAGO, May 19 (Reuter)

Chicago grains ruled firm in sympathy with rye reflecting the sharp advance in Winnipeg where shippers and U S interests competed for meagre offerings. However profit-taking by commission house and hedging erased grains.

May 1.76 5/8 to 1.76 5/8
July 1.63 5/8 to 1.63 3/4
Sept. 1.61 1/8 to 1.61 3/8

LONDON MONEY MARKET

LONDON, May 19 (Reuter): The money market was quite comfortable in the past week, with supplies of credit sufficient to meet borrowers' needs. Balances were obtainable at one per cent throughout the week from clearing banks; while cheap credit at three-quarters per cent was often available outside lenders. The discount market ruled quiet, although there was some demand for June bills.

Applications for 130 million sterling Treasury Bills to allied 218 million sterling, the market receiving about 44 per cent of its applications. The average rate was £1 0.24d. per cent. Next week 130 million will again be offered, and banks asked to provide 80 million against Treasury deposit receipts

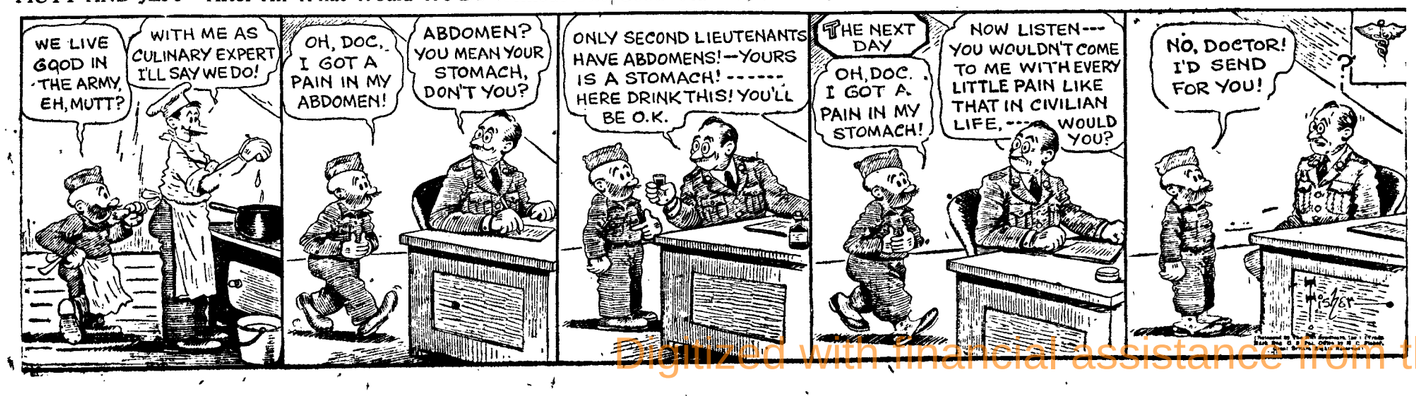
Bank Shares Rise In Paris

PARIS, May 17 (Reuter): The Minister of Finance confirms his intention of making the Exchange of Bank Notes at an opportune moment on a Franc-to-Franc basis and without limit to the sum. Exchange was imminent which caused firmness on the bourse on Thursday, when prices generally improved. Appreciable rises were shown in such issues as Bank of France, Bank of Paris, Citroen, Lecreusot and Rentes.

Peruvian Pima Cotton Included In Schedule Of F. C. C. O.

By a notification in the Gazette of India dated 19th May 1945, the Government of India have included in the Schedule to the Foreign Cotton Control Order, 1944 Peruvian Pima cotton and all other American cottons. This Schedule already includes cotton from Egypt, Sudan, Kenya Uganda and Tanganyika and the addition, in effect, means that all foreign cotton, except Afganistan, which business is or might be practicable in this country is brought within the scope of the Foreign Cotton Control Order, the provisions of which are already well-known to the cotton trade.

MUTT AND JEFF—After All What Would We Do Without The Good Old Medical Corps. By BUD FISHER


WE LIVE GOOD IN THE ARMY, EH, MUTT?
WITH ME AS CULINARY EXPERT I'LL SAY WE DO!
OH, DOC, I GOT A PAIN IN MY ABDOMEN!
ABDOMEN? YOU MEAN YOUR STOMACH, DON'T YOU?
ONLY SECOND LIEUTENANTS HAVE ABDOMENS!—YOURS IS A STOMACH!------ HERE DRINK THIS! YOU'LL BE O.K.
THE NEXT DAY
OH, DOC. I GOT A PAIN IN MY STOMACH!
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Wanted a Clerk for typing and general Office work. Apply Box No. 8204, "Bombay Chronicle".

Applications are invited for the post of an Asst. teacher from Lady Graduates with mother tongue Gujarati in the grade of Rs. 100-8|2-180, with benefits of Prov. Fund and D.A. Applications should reach J. A. Kazi, Secretary, Sarvajanik Education Society before 10th June, 1945. (3304)

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

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MR. DHANUBHAI T. SANJANAWALA as THE AGENCY MANAGER of the Company with effect from the 1st May, 1945. (3312)

NOTICE

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from Graduates, Intermediates and Matriculates for clerical posts in the Factory Accounts Offices at Cawnpore, Khamaria (Jubbulpore), Katni, Ambernath, Kirkee and Bombay.

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R. R. RANA,
Establishment Officer,
Finance Department (Supply),
Secretariat, Fort, Bombay. 3314

G. I. P. RAILWAY
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IT IS NOTIFIED that with effect from Thursday, May 24th, 1945, the Berths Reservation Office at Victoria Terminus will be kept open only from 9 hours to 21 hours daily. 3266

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Applications stating full name and address, age, academic and special qualifications and experience together with copies of testimonials and papers published, if any, should reach Dr. D. M. Telang, Grant Medical College, Bombay No. 8, by 10th June, 1945. 3309

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN PARTNERSHIP

IT IS NOTIFIED for public information that Sagarmal Gurdayal, Kashiprasad Shroff and Kanyalal Jhunjhunwala, partners of the Registered firm carrying on business as Mill Store and General Merchants at 139, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay, under the name and style of Messrs. Dwarkadas Khetan and Company, have retired from the said partnership as from 1st January 1945 and that Dwarkadas Khetan shall carry on this business under the same name and style of Messrs. Dwarkadas Khetan and Company as from 1st January 1945 and he shall be responsible for the outstandings and the discharges of the contracts of the firm as from that date and also enjoy the benefit of the goodwill and contracts of the same from 1st January 1945. Sagarmal Gurdayal, Kashiprasad Shroff and Kanyalal Jhunjhunwala shall have no connection with the business of the firm or its outstandings and contracts as from 1st January 1945.

Bombay dated 15th day of May, 1945.

SAGARMAL GURDAYAL,
KASHIPRASAD SHROFF,
KANYALAL JHUNJHUNWALA,
DWARKADAS KHETAN. 3306

PUBLIC NOTICES

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLY

Office of the Controller of Supplies (Disposals), Strand House, Graham Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay.

AUCTION NOTICE.

The following Public Auction Sales will be held for the disposal of (i) Ford, Chevrolet, and other M. T. Parts and Accessories, (ii) Miscellaneous General Stores such as Cotton Rags and Tentage, Gunny old, Cotton wool, Unserviceable Canvas, Canvas Shoes, Leather Scrap, Pith Hats, Empty Food Tins, Glass bottles, assorted drums, etc., (iii) Empty Ghi Tins, and (iv) Unserviceable Packing Case Timber:—

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4.	Salvage Transit Depot, Kamptee.	26-5-45 11 A.M.	
5.	Salvage Sub-Depot, Trimulgherry (Secunderabad-Dn,)	28-5-45 11 A.M.	M|s. Vazir Sultan & Sons, 194, Oxford Street, Secunderabad-Dn.
6.	M. T. Breakdown Depot, Nasik Road.	28-5-45 11 A.M.	M|s. F. Esoofally & Co., 3|4, Sadar Bazar, Deolali.
7.	Salvage Sub-Depot, Nasik Road.	29-5-45 11 A.M.	-do-
8.	M. T. Breakdown Depot, Trimulgherry (Secunderabad-Dn.)	29-5-45 11 A.M.	M|s. Vazir Sultan & Sons, Secunderabad.
9.	Government Timber Depot, Sewri, Bombay.	30-5-45 11 A.M.	M|s. Gandhi & Co., Bombay.
10.	M. T. Breakdown Depot, Dehu Road.	31-5-45 11 A.M.	-do-

Further details can be had from the Auctioneers and the materials to be auctioned can be inspected at site by previous arrangement with the stockholder.

Terms and conditions governing the Auction Sales will be announced by the Government Auctioneers prior to the commencement of the auction. (3293)

IMPERIAL INSTITUTE OF SUGAR TECHNOLOGY, CAWNPORE.
ADMISSIONS FOR SESSION 1945-46.

REGULAR COURSES.

1. Associateship Course in Sugar Technology—Duration 3 years. Admission qualification—B.Sc., in Chemistry with Physics or Mathematics or Botany or Zoology or M.Sc., in one of these subjects E. Ag., or other equivalent qualification.

2. Associateship Course in Sugar Engineering—Duration 1½ years. Admission qualification—B.Sc., in Engineering or B.E. in Mechanical or Electrical Engineering or an equivalent qualification.

3. Certificate Course in Sugar Engineering—Duration 1 year. Admission qualification—Diploma in Engineering of a recognized Technical School or College.

4. Sugar Boilers' Certificate Course—Duration 1 year. Admission qualification—I. Sc., or its equivalent.

COURSES FOR PERSONS EMPLOYED IN SUGAR FACTORIES.
(Session: July to October)

1. Chemical Control—Duration 2 sessions. Admission qualification B.Sc., with Chemistry and possessing two seasons factory experience, or, I. Sc., with three seasons factory experience.

2. Bacteriology (including fermentation, distillation and Power Alcohol manufacture)—Duration 2 sessions. Admission qualification B.Sc., with Chemistry and two seasons experience in a sugar factory or a distillery.

3. Pan Boiling—Duration 1 season. Admission open to Matriculates having one year's factory experience. Duration of Course is 2 sessions for Matriculates who have not taken science.

4. Fuel & Boiler Control.*

5. Milling Plant Operation & Control.*

*Duration 1 session. Admission open to those having two seasons' experience in Sugar Factory as Shift Engineer, Assistant Engineer or Assistant Chemist. Persons with a degree or diploma in Engineering, Sugar Technology or General Science preferred.

Similar short Courses are also provided in Statistics and Statistical Methods, Sugar Storage, Dutch Language and German Language.

SCHOLARSHIPS:—Two of Rs. 25|- per month, one for each of the Associateship Courses in Sugar Technology and Sugar Engineering.

For the Associateship Course in Sugar Engineering the last date for receipt of applications is 15th July, and session commences on 7th August. For all other Courses the last date for receipt of applications is 20th June and session commences on 10th July.

Application forms and further particulars can be obtained from the Director. 3303

NOTICE
UJJAIN SINGHASTH MELA BANNED

In the interest of the intending pilgrims it is hereby announced that considering the shortage of foodstuffs and difficulties of transport due to war time, the Gwalior Government has banned the holding of the Singhasth Fair the second phase of which is to take place from March, 1945 to June, 1945.

The Resident for Central India has also notified a ban on travel from any place within the railway lands in C. I. to Ujjain for taking part in the Singhasth Mela. 161

NOTICE

WITH A VIEW to supplementing the available facilities provided at the Indian Forest College at Dehra Dun for the training of forest officers, the Government of India have arranged to depute a certain number of students nominated by the Provincial Governments to the Edinburgh University for a degree in forestry. In addition, it is proposed to select two candidates to be sent to the Edinburgh University this year for the same forestry training on behalf of the Central Government. While no guarantee of future appointment can be given to the two candidates selected, the whole cost of their training will be borne by the Central Government and every endeavour will be made to find for the candidates, if they successfully complete their course, gazetted appointments as may be available at the time of their return.

The Edinburgh course in Forestry is ordinarily of three years but if a student selected has a minimum qualification of B.Sc. Honours degree in not less than second class, or equivalent, in two subjects out of Chemistry, Physics, Botany and Zoology with the other two subjects taken in the Intermediate at the approved Universities of Calcutta, Benares, Madras, Bombay, Agra, Delhi, Aligarh, Lucknow, Lahore, and Nagpur, he would be able to obtain the degree in two years. Candidates for this training must not be more than 24 years old on the 1st July, 1945.

Applications from candidates possessing the above mentioned minimum qualifications will be received in this Department up to the 5th June, 1945, and the applications so received will be considered along with applications already received in response to a general advertisement issued previously for sending students overseas for advanced studies in different subjects.

Issued by the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands, NEW DELHI. 3305

BENARES HINDU UNIVERSITY
NOTICE

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from distinguished M.As and M.Sc. of the Benares Hindu University who have passed their M.A. or M.Sc. Examinations in the year 1942, 1943, 1944 and 1945 in the First or High Second Class for J.K. Fellowships of Rs. 75|- per month tenable for one year in the first instance for doing research work in Mathematics, Economics and Commerce in the Faculty of Arts; Physics, Chemistry and Geology in the Faculty of Science; Industrial Chemistry, Ceramics, Pharmaceutical Chemistry, Glass Technology and Agriculture in the Faculty of Technology. Further particulars may be had from the Registrar. Applications must be sent by registered post to the Registrar, Benares Hindu University so as to reach him on or before the 30th of June, 1945.

REGISTRAR.

Benares,
The 8th of May, 1945. (3308)

NOTICE

TO LET an open piece of land, situate at Queen's Road Estate admeasuring about 1790 square yards for a long term. Apply to the undersigned.

AMBUBHAI & DIWANJI,
Attorneys-at-Law.
Lentin Chambers,
Dalal Street,
Fort, Bombay. (3307)

PUBLIC NOTICES

THE ANAND INSURANCE CO., LIMITED.
CHANGE OF ADDRESS

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Registered Office of the Anand Insurance Company, Limited will be removed to 3rd Floor, Warden House, Sir Phirozsha Mehta Road, Fort, Bombay, on and after the 4th June, 1945.

K. S. RAMCHANDRA IYER,
General Manager. 3311

LEASE OF COTTON GINNING & PRESSING FACTORIES

Four Cotton Ginning & Pressing Factories at Montgomery, Pattoki, Sargodha and Mandi Bahauddin in the Punjab, respectively, are to be leased for the cotton season 1945-46. For full particulars of these factories and of the lease terms application should be made to the Custodian of the assets of Messrs. Japan Cotton Trading Co., Ltd., "Menkwa Building," Outram Road, Fort, Bombay, in time to reach him on or before the 15th June, 1945.

N. J. B. MINAHAN,
Custodian of Enemy Property. (3313)

GOVERNMENT OF ADEN
ASSISTANT ENGINEER

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the above appointment in the Public Works Department at a salary of Rs. 300-20-500 per mensem, plus war allowance ruling at the time (at present Rs. 30 per mensem).

The successful candidate will be on agreement for 3 years but will then be considered for appointment to a permanent post.

Free second class passages for the successful applicant and his wife will be provided on his first appointment and thereafter for earned leave which accumulates at the rate of 1|11th: of residential service up to a maximum of 120 days.

While on agreement contributions to the Government Provident Fund will be made at the rate of 5% of salary both by the candidate and Government.

Free quarters are not provided.

Applicants should possess an Engineering Degree from an approved University and have had considerable experience in the design and construction of large buildings. An Architectural qualification would be an advantage.

Applications in Candidate's own handwriting endorsed Assistant Engineer stating age, caste, qualification training and experience together with recent testimonials should be forwarded to the undersigned as early as possible.

W. L. OSBORNE,
Director of Public Works,
ADEN. (3299)

AUCTION SALES

AUCTION SALE OF ACCESSORIES & SPARE PARTS OF MOTOR TRANSPORT & MISCELLANEOUS STORES.

By order of the Controller of Supplies, Disposals Branch, Bombay, M|s. Gandhi & Co., will offer for sale by Public Auction on Friday 25-5-45 at 11 A.M. (S.T.) at Port Salvage Depot, Haji Bunder, G.I.P. Rly., Bombay:—

Miscellaneous stores including: Rubber and leather scrap, Hoop Iron, Steel wire rope, pipes, Dry batteries, Galvanised scrap, Petrol tanks, Steel boat, light melting scrap, Electric Motors, Enamelware, Provision tins, Mess tins, 4|5 & 10 Gal. drums, K.O. tins, Flexible rubber hose pipe, Canvas, Mattresses & Pillows, Parachute Harness, Binding wire, Gunny Old, Asbestos & Pressure plastic compound, Sodium sulphate, etc.

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AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY AT MATHERAN.

Messrs. CRAWFORD & CO., Auctioneers, will sell by Public Auction on SUNDAY 27th May, 1945, at 5-30 p.m. (New S.T.) on site "PIROJA VILLA" opposite Matheran Railway Station, with about 1183 Sq., Yds., of land, and building containing a drawing and dining room, 3 bedrooms, bathrooms, outhouses, 2 basement godowns, fully furnished New Bazar Plot No. 9.

CRAWFORD & CO.,
Fort, Bombay.

AUCTION SALES

IMPORTANT TO PROPERTY BUYERS

Under instructions from Messrs. Gagrat & Co., Attorneys for K. C. Banajee, Esq., and R. B. Mazagonwalla, Esq., Executors of the Will of the late Bai Awanbai Nasarwanjee Bottlewalla Messrs. SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO., will sell by Public Auction the following properties on the days mentioned hereunder:—

PROPERTY AT BAZAR GATE STREET, FORT, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd May, 1945, at 5 P.M. at the premises of the building.

PROPERTY at TARDEO ROAD known as "JEHANGIR TERRACE" on THURSDAY, 24th May, 1945, at 5 P.M. at the premises of the building.

PROPERTY AT VERSOVA (Andheri) on SATURDAY, 26th May 1945 at 4-30 P.M. on the premises of the property.

PROPERTY AT KHANDALA known as "Baramula" sale on Friday, 25th May 1945 at 4-30 P.M. AT THE ROOM OF THE UNDERSIGNED.

And also all articles of furniture, fixture, etc., lying in the said bungalow and belonging to the estate of the deceased.

AGRICULTURAL LAND AT NAGARGAM registration sub-district Maval District Poona sale on Friday 25th May, 1945, AT THE ROOM OF THE UNDERSIGNED immediately the sale of Khandala property is over,

The particulars as to area, numbers, etc., were printed in the "Bombay Chronicle" of the 14th instant and the same and conditions of sale may be obtained from the above mentioned solicitors, Alli Chambers, Medows Street, or from the undersigned.

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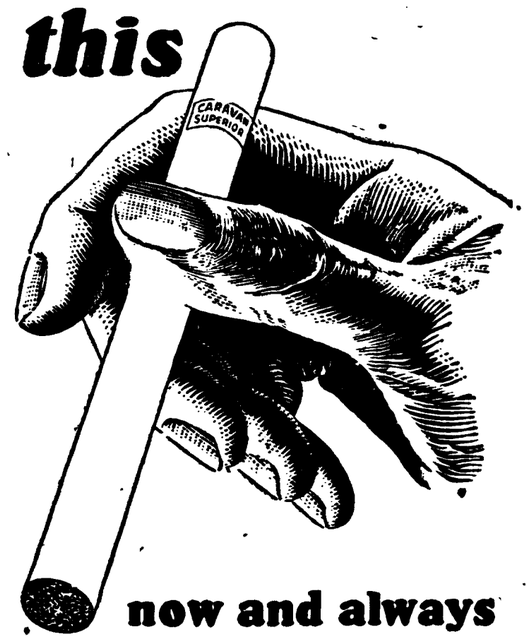

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